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[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Politics in Victoria--A New Method of Petitioning Legislatures.

VICTORIA Feb 8—One of the largest political meetings ever held in this province was convened last evening at Philharmonic Hall to consider the proposition now before the House of Assembly, to amend the terms of union with Canada without first submitting the alterations to the people A number of prominent speakers addressed the meeting and after passing a series of resolutions it was finally resolved that the meeting proceed en masse to the House which was then in session, and present a petition against any alterations in the terms Away went the immense crowd over 1 000 strong toward the House On arriving there the visitors gallery was unusually filled and over half had to remain outside Under such excitement and circumstances it was found impossible to proceed with business, and the Speaker left the chair appointing two o clock to-morrow the hour when the petition would be received The greatest excitement exists

Second Dispatch.

VICTORIA Feb 10—Yesterday about 2 P M about 800 citizens headed by Dr Helmcken, G J Findlay and others, marched from the corner of Yates and Government streets to the House of Assembly there to present a petition against any alteration of the terms of the Union Arriving there a strong police force was found guarding the place A deputation was chosen to enter the House and the crowd remained outside The petition was received by the Speaker and read by the clerk It was then decided to consider it on Wednesday next, and the deputation returned to the crowd outside where tables had been placed, around which the throng gathered signing petitions against any alterations in the terms The people soon after returned to the city The utmost order prevailed all the time The House adjourned yesterday until Friday to allow a reconstruction of the Ministry, the Honorable the Premier having resigned Hon A Bunster also resigned Both left on the *Maude* this morning for Nanaimo to canvass Vancouver district for the Commons

The steamer *Prince Alfred* arrived from San Francisco on Sunday, and returns to-morrow at daylight

A Stickeen Miner Badly Frozen.

The steamer *Otter* has returned, but brings no fresh news from Cassiar Tom Farron arrived on her with his hands and feet badly frozen

THE SIAMESE TWINS

MEDICAL REPORT OF THE ORIGIN AND PROGRESS OF THE MALADY

During a brief interview, which had to take place on the road, Dr Hollingsworth then explained that Chang had an attack of paralysis shortly after returning from Europe last year, that he had been suffering from pneumonia, or severe lung cold, for the past month, and that he (the Doctor) believed that it was exposure before he had sufficiently recovered from this malady that precipitated his death On Friday Eng was as well as usual—Chang not apparently very much worse. Eng was in excellent spirits and seemed remarkably cheerful and sprightly Chang, on the other hand, from the debility caused by his paralysis and cold together with a certain stupidity resulting from the use of too much stimulant, was fretful, sullen and snappish when spoken to which of late was his accustomed conduct All the family retired at the usual hour, Eng's wife and children slept up stairs, the Twins slept down stairs. It was five o'clock in the morning when one of Eng's sons heard as he thought, a call from his uncle Chang Responding as quickly as possible he came down stairs and going to the side of the bed upon which his uncle Chang lay found him lying, apparently in a deep sleep, but was startled by the ghastly and singular appearance of the features which wore an expression of pain, if not agony, and were much darker than he had ever seen them before.

After a closer examination the boy discovered his uncle was dead, and uttering an oft-repeated cry of Uncle Chang is dead alarmed the whole household all of whom speedily came pouring into the room in their night dresses

WHICH OF THE TWINS CALLED OUT

While the boy still believes it was his uncle's voice that called, everybody else feels convinced that it must have been Eng, his father

ENG'S MOMENT OF WARNING

The tumult caused by the death of Chang the hurry and noise in sending for the doctor and for Chang's wife and children, must have so terribly shocked Eng that his nervous system became completely prostrated and he never uttered a word except the single expression heretofore reported in the *Herald*—'And I must die too'

WHAT THE PHYSICIANS FOUND

Two hours from the discovery of Chang's death Drs. William Hollingsworth and Taylor arrived only to find the twins dead

Correspondent—How long do you think Eng had been dead when you arrived?

Dr Hollingsworth—Not more than ten or fifteen minutes

Correspondent—Do you think his death was caused by any vital connection or artery passing from one to the other through the ligament that united them?

Dr Hollingsworth—I am confident that Eng's death was produced by no such cause

Correspondent—Do you not believe the existence of some such vital connection through the ligament?

Dr Hollingsworth—I do not, because I have attended them when one was sick and the other in good health and when there was as much as twenty beats difference to the minute in their pulsation

THE SHOCK TO ENG

Correspondent—What then in your opinion caused Eng's death?

Dr Hollingsworth—The great shock and terror inspired by such a union with death added to which was the belief which prevailed between them that when one died the other would These combined to destroy his mental faculties and paralyze his physical energies, and he succumbed to the dread visitation

Correspondent—You you do not think then that if the ligament had been severed his life would have been saved?

Dr Hollingsworth—I do not I rather think that any operation, unless performed immediately upon his discovery of Chang's death would have hastened his (Eng's) death —*Special Cor N Y Herald*

THE SIGNAL SERVICE.—A Washington dispatch of January 27th to the New York *Times* says

The House Military Committee this morning gave an audience to Gen. Myer Chief Signal Officer who explained the nature of the operations of his office with especial reference to its relation to the agricultural interests of the country There has for some time existed considerable jealousy between the officers of the Engineer Corps and the officers of the signal service the former maintaining that the latter are seeking to elevate themselves to the dignity of an independent corps contrary to the meaning of the original law and it has been maintained that the signal service could be conducted with the same efficiency and less expense by the officers of the regular army in the Engineer Corps The signal service is however so popular in all sections of the country that it seems improbable that any reduction in its present force will be made

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EX SENATOR POMEROY.—We find the following under a Topeka (Kan) date of Jan 26th Private advices state that ex-Senator Pomeroy will be here to-day, when he will complete his bond and arrange matters for his trial, which has been postponed to the July term of the Court

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS

SENATE

WASHINGTON Feb 5—The Chair presented a communication from the Secretary of the Interior covering the reports of the Government Directors of the Union Pacific railroad

The House joint resolution for a Committee of Investigation into the District of Columbia affairs was concurred in

Carpenter introduced a bill for a new election in Louisiana The title of the bill is To restore the rights of the State of Louisiana Ordered printed and laid on the table

Cragin from the Committee on Naval Affairs submitted an amendment to the Naval Appropriation bill providing that no further appointments or promotions shall be made to the grade of Commodore in the navy and that after the lapse of that grade, promotions shall be made from Captain to Rear Admiral

The bill to facilitate the execution of certain public works at the mouth of the Mississippi passed The bill gives the Secretary of War control of the improvements and provides penalties for obstructing the work

The Chair announced as Senate members of the Joint Committee to investigate the affairs of the District of Columbia, Frelinghuysen Boutwell and Thurman Frelinghuysen subsequently requested that Conkling be appointed in his place

The Senate then resumed consideration of the Bankrupt bill, the pending amendment (Sherman's) being to limit the operation of the thirty ninth section to persons owning $3,000 or more Lost—Yeas 20 nays 28

Sherman then moved to amend by extending the time in which a suspended party can be placed in bankruptcy from forty to ninety days The time fixed by the present law is fourteen days and an amendment extends it to forty Pending discussion the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE

Poland, from the Committee on Revision of the Laws, reported a bill concerning practice in Territorial Courts and appeals therefrom Passed

Townsend from the Committee on Public Lands reported back adversely the bill to incorporate the Colorado Canal Irrigation and Land Company Laid on the table

Dunnell, from the same committee reported a bill to amend the Act of March 3, 1873 to encourage the growth of timber on Western prairies Passed

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Army Appropriation bill After a discussion over the question of increasing or diminishing work at the national armories, the committee rose, without disposing of the bill and the House took a recess until evening, the session to be for consideration of the bill to revise the statutes. At the evening session considerable progress was made on the bill Adjourned

GENERAL NOTES

Out of the six million eggs a codfish has been known to spawn in one year, less than a hundred survive This must be discouraging to the codfish

Henry W Shaw (Josh Billings) has sold four hundred and ten thousand of his Almanax during the last four years Profits, $15 000 How much was it Milton got for Paradise Lost?

The Burlington (Iowa) *Hawk-Eye* says some fiend in human shape, more moved by the hope of torturing the candidates than by any sincere desire for the reform of the civil service proposes to add to the horrors of the examination by requiring the candidate to spell "landaulet."

The London *Times* closes the obituary of Agassiz thus In Agassiz the world lost a philosopher and naturalist whose name will be remembered along with those of Buffum, Cuvier and Humboldt and of whom both his native Switzerland and adopted America might well be proud

A correspondent of the Woodstock (Vt) *Spirit* protests against the people of Waterbury being taxed for the support of the State Reform School, which he styles a louse arbor He charges that 'some of them public lice up there are great fat fellows, as big as a good large tom cat, and some of the nits are as big as a chipmunk squirrel

Old man Bender and his wife fiend who run the human butcher shop in Kansas, according to the Topeka (Kansas) *Blade*, are really in custody at Parsons and have summoned Judge Gilbert, of Humboldt, to meet them at Independence and defend them This is the twenty seventh report of their capture within six months, but the *Blade* vouches for its correctness

The Springfield *Republican*, alluding to the bee-line road from New York to Omaha proposed by the Grange committees of Congress in aid of which the Government shall guarantee the interest on a bond of low interest reckons some of those Allegheny mountains will raise their shaggy brows at the information that the road will traverse Pennsylvania without deviating from a straight line

The Louisville *Courier Journal* says that Mr Cushing will cling to his mission in Spain and be thankful that the Senate did not rob him of that, too He doubtless feels like the person who sent his own hat around the congregation for contributions The deacon brought it back without a cent in it Taking it up and tapping it gratefully on the crown he said 'I thank God I got my hat back from this congregation"

The Davenport (Iowa) *Gazette* has a long account of the arrest at Council Bluffs on Wednesday, of Elijah Cowles a brother in law of Schuyler Colfax, for robbing the mails, while route agent on the Chicago and Rock Island Railroad His operations have been going on for two years and he confesses the crime His robberies are placed at $10 000 Cowles was in good circumstances He owned a fine stock farm near Kellogg He is most respectably connected his wife being a half sister of ex Vice President Colfax Years ago he was a prosperous merchant in the East He is fifty two years of age For years Mr Cowles has been a member of the Congregational Church respected by all who knew him

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HARVARD'S LOSS BY THE BOSTON FIRE—The full amount of subscription to repair the losses sustained by Harvard University by the Boston fire now is $185 010 81 of which $162 519 81 had been paid in on the 31st of December last Of this amount $8 716 23 was paid by Gen Theodore Lyman in the execution of his munificent promise to add 5 per cent to all subscriptions given by other persons Upon this topic the Boston *Advertiser* says It seems at the first glance a little difficult to say whether the college is richer by the fire or poorer It lost two stores belonging to the Bussey fund which were in Arch street and Hawley street It lost also of course the rent on these stores while rebuilding which for seven and two third months done was $17 964 40 It had to pay insurance assessments and new premiums to the amount of $3 424 92 On the other hand the new stores are already rented, and are handsomer and better buildings than the old ones Hawley street and Arch street are much improved and much more desirable positions than they were before The city of Boston paid for land taken to widen streets $62,900 The insurance companies paid $47 510 11 For material from the burnt stores there was paid $1 41 08 and the fire subscription as above stated has already amounted to $185 010 81

GOVERNMENT BOOK KEEPING.—From Washington correspondence of Jan 27th to the New York *Times* we take the annexed

Several resolutions of some interest and importance were adopted There was a bill which seemed to aim at a general reform or at least a change in the present system of book keeping in the Treasury It provides for an accurate method of keeping the Government accounts and for the preservation of the records It is said that at present only one set of books in the Treasury are kept by the double entry system of accounts

ORGANIZATION OF THE CLACKAMAS CO EQUAL RIGHTS CLUB

Monday evening 9th inst the Court House at Oregon City was filled to overflowing upon the occasion of the permanent organization of the friends of justice and reform

Mr Sarah McCown was elected Chairman pro tem

The minutes of a preliminary meeting were read and approved

Mrs Miranda S Buck presented the report of the Canvassing Committee showing that the following persons had pledged themselves to support our organization favoring Impartial Suffrage

Mrs S Augusta Chase Mr Heman Buck Mrs Miranda S Buck Mrs Susan McElrum Mr W Carey Johnson, Mrs J DeVore Johnson Mrs Olive McCord Mr H I Bacon Rev Martin Judy Miss Let Miller Mrs Mary Edmunds Miss Emma Chase Miss Amy Kerns Mrs Mary White Mrs Sarah McCown Dr J W Norris Mr J P Ward Mr Jacob Nortman Mrs Jacob Nortman Mrs H Pease Mrs J I Clarke, Miss Lila Bacon, Mr John Nortman, Mr J Shuham Mr D T Rogers Mr Rodney Tompkins Mrs V Athey Mr N Athey Miss Sarah Athey Mrs I Cochran Mr Hiram Cochran, Mr James M Moore Mr George Newman, Miss Alice Hunsaker Miss Mollie Beatie Mr J L Barlow Miss Julia Johnson, Mr T J Matlock Mrs J L Barlow Miss Julia Johnson Mr T J Matlock Mrs H A Matlock Mr S A Mills Mr W A Mills Mrs Mary Capps Mr Daniel Talbert Mr W H Phillips Mr A I Jones Mr Jay Phillips

Many other persons had expressed themselves as favorable to the movement Accessions were expected as soon as the outside precincts were heard from.

An explanation of the views and experience of Mrs Fannie Cochran relative to woman in public life was read

The Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and By Laws submitted forms, which were adopted

The Constitution, Art I, provides that the organization shall be known as the Clackamas County Equal Rights Club.

Art II reads as follows

The objects of this Club shall be first the recognition of the Equal Political Rights of all classes of citizens regardless of sex secondly the use of all laudable means to secure the exercise of these rights thirdly, the moral and mental improvement of the members of the Club the community and human race fourthly, the subservience of the personal interests of the members of the Club as far as connected with the objects of the Club

Hon W Carey Johnson, Mrs W W Buck, Prof P Baumgras, Mrs Sarah McCown and E L Eastham Esq addressed the meeting upon the rights and disabilities of woman, the justice and necessity of impartial suffrage &c

The following additional signatures were obtained from the audience Mr L I Eastham, Miss Jennie Barlow, Mrs W W Buck Miss Sarah J Thacher G J Hurley C Olive Albright, F Wesley Seanman, Miss Emma Harrington Mr Wm J Whitlock and others

The following persons were elected as delegates to the Oregon State Woman Suffrage Association Mrs Sarah McCown, Mrs. Miranda Buck, Miss Julia Johnson, Mrs S Augusta Chase, Mrs V O Harding Mr W Carey Johnson, Mrs J DeVore Johnson Hon S A Mills

A resolution offered by Rev Martin Judy was adopted requesting the publication of the proceedings of the meeting in the DAILY OREGONIAN, *Daily Bulletin* *New Northwest* and *Oregon City Enterprise*

It was announced that notice would be given of the next meeting, when permanent officers will be elected

On motion the meeting adjourned

J DEVORE JOHNSON

Secretary pro tem

DUKE ALEXIS' VISIT

AN INDIGNANT NEBRASKAN TAKES ISSUE WITH THE ROYAL AUTHOR

WASHINGTON, D C, Jan 26 1874

To the Editor of the Chronicle In your issue of Sunday last in a review of the Duke's new book upon his recent visit to America, occurs the following extract from the same

'Equal amusing is the account of his reception at Omaha, in Nebraska where a member of the Legislature congratulated him on the successes of his father in the war with France Another legislator of that State wanted to know if it was always cold in Russia

Now sir as a resident of the 'Junior State' and a defender of the intelligence of our Legislative body I hasten to pronounce the above wholly without foundation or even a semblance of truth He was not met at Omaha or elsewhere by the Legislature of the State but he and General Sheridan were entertained by a reception at the residence of ex Governor Alvin Saunders, which the Duke pronounced at the time one of the most pleasing entertainments of the kind which was tendered him during the trip Perhaps the Duke was disappointed in one particular with the people of Nebraska who did not turn out to see the Duke in such large numbers nor exhibit the same curiosity for royalty as did the people of Eastern cities Perhaps the Duke, in relating the scenes of the royal buffalo hunt near the North Platte, Nebraska will not fail to tell how many times he shot at and missed a large-sized member of the bison family and how the same was finally wounded by Buffalo Bill and how the same *dying* animal was *held by the horns* until his Highness killed (?) him The above is strictly true Mr Editor and can be certified to by any number of gentlemen who were present and witnessed the inaccurate exhibitions of marksmanship by the royal distorter of facts Respectfully J H

ARMY DISBURSEMENTS DURING THE WAR—A statement will be presented in a few days to Congress in answer to a resolution offered by Mr Wheeler of New York which will show the amount of expenditures by the Government from April 1861 to September 1866, for the payment of officers and soldiers of the army The entire amount in round numbers is $1,094 000 000 This is exclusive of bounties The same statement will show that the entire amount of suspended accounts against army Paymasters for disbursements during the war is $763 000 Of this amount $500 000 is a total loss and was made by J N Cook of Cincinnati and McIntyre of New York State The remainder of the amount is nearly all good and in due time will be collected and the accounts settled In comparatively few of the pending cases is any charge of fraud made the suspensions being due to mistakes in the accounts and not to any fradulent defalcations Considering that this loss arises in the disbursement of over $1 100 000,000 the showing is very remarkable and creditable to the officers of the army who had charge of the disbursements —*N Y Evening Post*

HEAVY SUIT AGAINST BONDSMEN.—A New York dispatch of January 26th says that suit has been instituted in the United States District Court against the official bond of ex Post master J H Jones which was given for $500 000 and on which Horace Greeley Henry Shields Sheridan Shook Henry A Burr Samuel Sinclair Jeremiah I, Smith Otis N Cutter and Abraham Wakeman are sureties All these gentlemen with the exception of Mr Greeley are made defendants in the suit Charles Storrs and Richard H Manning executors of Mr Greeley appearing for the defendant on the part of Greeley's estate The suit is taken on the ground that Jones is responsible for the alleged defalcation of more than $200 000 by John M Norton ex Superintendent of the Money Order Department of the Post Office of this city under Mr Jones

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The prettiest woman in Washington this winter it is said is the wife of Senator Dorsey of Arkansas She is described as a Spanish looking beauty with very long black lashes dark eyes and rather small tidy figure

GEN FITZ JOHN PORTER'S CASE

HIS FRIENDS MOVING IN HIS FAVOR—DOCUMENTS TENDING TO VINDICATE HIM

Influential friends of Gen Porter having been unable thus far to obtain the consent of the President to appoint a new court of inquiry to review the facts as now presented have decided to publish several important and interesting documents bearing on Gen Porter's case with a view to calling public attention anew to the alleged wrong done him Among the documents are decisive expressions of opinion in favor of Gen Porter from many distinguished Federal army officers that of Gen. George H Thomas being unqualifiedly in Gen Porter's behalf Among the opinions of prominent civil officers and statesmen is a letter from Hon Montgomery Blair who was a member of President Lincoln's Cabinet at the time of Gen Porter's condemnation It says

Undoubtedly you are entitled to a hearing by the President You are under a sentence of disqualification which is still in force and course of execution If it were an executed sentence he might say it is final in law and rid himself of it in that way but as the case is I conceive it to be his clear duty on an application to the pardoning power with show of probable cause to look into it, and if he finds the sentence unjust to issue his pardon Of course you do not want his pardon and would refuse to accept it unless he puts it on the ground of your innocence but your application does not lie only to the pardoning power Many precedents and a positive statute indicate a more complete remedy in such a case of gross injustice The President may restore you with the consent of the Senate Undoubtedly it is his duty if public justice requires it It is not a mere matter of Executive favor I do not see how he can refuse to declare his judgment of your entire innocence if he will examine the new evidence It is evidence from the side of the enemy which you could not procure during the war It refutes utterly the conjectural findings of the court martial You are as much entitled to this evidence as Bazaine was to the testimony of the German Princes and Generals I do not say that this new evidence is necessary to your vindication I believe with Judge Curtis and Mr Reverdy Johnson and Mr Daniel Lord, that you are entitled to a full and honorable acquittal on the evidence at the trial but the new evidence leaves no peg to hang a doubt upon You will when you get an honest hearing have the trial set aside as null and void The artifice of making a staff officer sign the charges in lieu of the military commander to evade the law which only allows a Court to be appointed and detailed by the President in such a case as yours is a fetch and contrivance of no validity in law The Court detailed by Gen Halleck for Mr Stanton was in law no Court and there has been no trial and there is no legal verdict or sentence against you But this is not what you want You want the truth brought out and vindicated You want an investigation on the merits of the evidence That you will get it one day I have not the least doubt Public justice will yet come to your rescue

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GEN SHERIDAN ON REDUCTION OF THE ARMY A Washington correspondent of the New York *Herald*, under date Jan. 26th, writes Lieutenant General Sheridan was before the House Committee on Military Affairs this morning and in the course of a two hours consultation gave his views in regard to the policy and feasibility of a reduction of the army He deprecates the frequent legislation of Congress in regard to the army stating that its effect has been extremely demoralizing to officers and men, and thinks that in proportion as the country is expanding the necessity for a body of neutral men like the army that will obey orders will become more and more apparent He illustrated this view by referring to the apprehensions of recent troubles in Chicago when the property owners were anxious to find out how long it would take him to get troops there In regard to Indian matters he recognizes the policy of the reservation system but thinks that one effect will be to diminish the number of Indians, the first process being the dying out of the Indians on the reservations chiefly from consumption superinduced by homesickness The remnant that will be left after the dying out process will he thinks take to agriculture and get mixed up with white blood as in the case of the Cherokees and other semi civilized tribes in the Indian Territory and thus be gradually eliminated He ridicules the idea of influencing the Indian by moral suasion and thinks that the present peace policy of the government can be most efficiently and cheaply administered by the War Department The opinions elicited from Major General McDowell on Saturday last were generally to this effect

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VALUE OF FOREIGN COIN.—Under the act of March 1873 in relation to the value of foreign coin, it was made incumbent on the Secretary of the Treasury to announce their standard value as fixed by the Director of the Mint The notice of Secretary Richardson though dated 20th December was not received at the Custom House in New York until the 10th of Jan and then it was found that some important changes had been made in the standard value of foreign coins most in use in this country By the new rules among many alterations of less importance the valuation of the French franc and Italian lira is changed from 18 6 10 cents to 19 3 10 cents at the German mark from 25 cents to 23 82 100 cents and of the Chinese tael from $1 48 to $1 61 It will be seen that these changes affect the rates of duty on nearly all importations from France Germany Italy Belgium and China and that in many cases the difference must be a very serious matter to the importer Much dissatisfaction is felt with the new system and merchants complain that the delay in announcing the change has placed them in embarrassing positions. Protests have been filed, in cases affected by the new rules on the ground that the act of March 1873 did not specify that the changes were to affect the valuations of the coins for custom purposes and that the old standard is therefore still in force as regards payment to the United States Treasury

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THE PRESIDENT AND MISS ANTHONY.—A Washington special to the Boston *Herald* relates the following

The President met Susan B Anthony by accident in the avenue yesterday in company with another member of the Suffrage Convention and quite a conversation took place At length the President asked Miss Anthony if there was anything he could do for her Miss Anthony replied that she thought the request came pretty late She had stumped New York for the President at the last election and then on trying to vote for him some of his officers had arrested her and put her in jail She was now at large without help and she did not know what there was left to do but if the President was really in earnest in desiring to do something for her he might please nominate Mrs Cady Stanton for Chief-Justice The President laughed and he would think the matter over and continued his walk

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VAN BUREN'S APPOINTMENT AND JAY'S LETTER FILLED.—Following appears under date of Washington Jan 26th John Jay's friends declare that if General Van Buren is confirmed as Consul to Kanagawa Jay will feel compelled to resign as the position will be given to Van Buren as an indemnity for his degradation General Bristow will in that case be appointed to Vienna

SUPREME COURT

FORTY THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

Court met pursuant to adjournment Present as of yesterday

The State of Oregon respondent v C G Glass appellant judgment affirmed Opinion by Mosher J

THE TERRITORIES

The Utah legislature has incorporated Wasatch College

The telegraph line between Tenino and Olympia has been completed

Walla Walla's grand masquerade ball last week was a magnificent success in every sense of the word

The Montana Legislature is discussing a bill to punish men for selling liquor on Sunday or on election days

The following are the officers of the Walla Walla Debating Society President, H D Cock Vice President A I Isham Secretary Frank Seidel Treasurer, N T Caton Sergeant at Arms, W D Lambert

A prisoner named Clark, sentenced to one year's imprisonment for killing a man attempted to escape from the Olympia jail last Sunday night by sawing the grates of his cell with a saw made of a case knife He was discovered and manacled

The people of Helena Montana have gone to work with extraordinary energy to repair the losses sustained by the late fire, and show a determination to maintain their position as the metropolis of Montana They appear to be unconquerable, Such nerve and courage deserve success

An attempt was made to rob the store of Crosby & Son, at Tumwater, W T last Monday night Two boys sleeping in the store, frightened the thieves by firing a pistol Nothing was lost except five gallons of coal oil which ran out of the can which the bullet, from the boys pistol, hit The thieves also ran out

The area of land known to be rich in coal deposits in Colorado, is about 7 200 square miles, lying in various parts of the Territory, on both sides of the main range There can hardly be a doubt but that this extent will be largely increased in coming years, for new discoveries are constantly being made upon the foot hills and plains

The Helena *Herald* learns from Fort Shaw that Lieut Jacobs and his squad of mounted men who were sent in pursuit of the band of missing stock had succeeded in capturing 400 head They were found on the Marias The balance 100 head were still missing but it was believed they were on the Teton and would soon be recovered

O Keefe, a member of the Montana legislature recently, answering a speech of one of his fellow members, said Mr Speaker this is a Democratic legislature, and it is a shame to permit a one horse Republican like Sanders, to run it No sir because the Senator from Lewis and Clarke is gifted with a tongue as long as a curlew, he mustn't think he can subdue and demolish all of us

The following is an abstract of business done at the U S Land Office at Walla Walla during the month of January 1874 Thirty six declaratory statements filed for 5 700 acres 2 cash entries for 240 acres 12 homestead applications filed for 1,080 acres, 5 final homestead proofs filed for 800 acres, 2 soldiers D S filed for 320 acres Total number of acres disposed of during the month of January, 8 480

Delegate Maginnis from Montana, has recently introduced in Congress three bills—one for the establishment of an assay office in Helena City, for the improvement of the military road from Fort Benton to Fort Walla Walla, and the third for the improvement of the Yellowstone and Missouri rivers The Assay Office bill provides for the construction of a suitable building in Helena and the necessary fixtures and apparatus at a cost not exceeding $50 000 For the improvement of the Yellowstone he asks an appropriation of $150 000 to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War

A late letter from the Yakima mines says 'Now I do not say that there is no gold here for I think that there will be some good diggings found in this country but I do not think they have been found yet There is a great amount of quartz scattered throughout the country, and some of it is good, or at least that is my opinion from specimens I have seen All that I have seen is gold bearing There are parties here who are interested in getting up a stampede There are about 15 000 bushels of wheat in this valley and about 25 000 in the lower valley (that around Yakima City) and those parties wish to get up a home market, as the only means of disposing of what they have on hand One man took three ounces of dust to the Dalles and had it assayed It lost one-half ounce in melting and the rest assayed $14 00 per ounce It is reckoned at $18 per ounce in the mines I do not advise any person to come or stay away but do not come with the expectation of making a pile out of the present camp"

CARPENTER'S LOUISIANA BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb 5—Carpenter's bill 'To Restore the Rights of the State of Louisiana' declares that there are no legally elected State officers or Legislature in that State that the State offices are filled *de facto* by persons claiming to hold them under a fraudulent and void canvass of the vote of the last Federal election that a pretended Legislature has been organized in pursuance of illegal orders of the Judge of the United States Circuit Court that the President's proclamation recognizing these officers as legal officers of the State, was issued upon their representation that the people are in danger of being oppressed and involved in vexatious litigation by Acts of the pretended Legislature, and that peace is now and can only be preserved during the existing state of affairs at the expense and through the army of the United States The bill provides for a new election on the fourth Tuesday in May 1874 for State officers and members of the legislature The President is required to appoint a Superintendent of Registration either a civilian or army officer not below the rank of Major General, he to appoint two registrars one from each political party and they to appoint Supervisors of Registration from each party The bill prescribes at great length details of registration and election fixes the pay of Superintendent of Registration if a civilian, at $4000, and prescribes a penalty for officers failing to perform their duties The bill also authorizes the President to use a part of the army and navy forces of the United States if necessary to carry out the provisions of the bill and declares void any Act of interference by pretended state officials or any process of State Courts to enjoin or interfere with the provisions of this Act

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A JEWISH HEROINE.—Speaking of the late Miss Stiner, the *Jewish Messenger* says

The noble self sacrifice of the daughter who refused to leave her invalid mother and thus perished in the flames will not soon be forgotten especially by the many who enjoyed her acquaintance One of the most vivacious of girls few gave her credit for being a genuine heroine whose death amid all its horrors was to be ennobling and resplendent A few hours before her doom was sealed she was merrily dancing and talking at a friend's house with no thought but of the present and her wealth of happiness The decisive moment arrived and in the face of an awful death, whose very mention makes the boldest of us shudder she clung to her mother and died by her side Hers is a deed deserving record for all time

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THE NEW CHIEF JUSTICE.—The new Chief Justice will take his seat on the reassembling of the Court. Thus reinforced the work will be proportionately lighter for each member of the Bench A case of considerable importance is still under consideration—that of Barbinger vs The State of Iowa—involving the question of the Constitutionality of the Excise laws of that State and probably largely affecting similar laws in every State in the Union The position of the plaintiff in error is that under the recent amendments to the Constitution he cannot as a citizen of the United States be deprived of his property in liquor by the legislature of the State His title it is maintained, is a right granted to him by the federal power and not to be divested by any other authority

OREGON

E J Drake a prominent citizen of Salem and Mr Ben Simpson of the same place, are severely ill

A large number of books principally on law have recently been added to the State Library at Salem

A Salem man has invented a thermometer attachment for cook stoves by which he claims all over done meats scorched cabbage, and burnt bread will be avoided in the future The cook can watch the thermometer, but who will watch the fire

Special Deputy Grand Sire A Noltner instituted Winawhala Encampment No 6 at Eugene, last Monday evening, and the following officers were elected E L Bristow C P Ben F Dorris, H P J J Walton Jr S W W J Shipley S F T Singer, Treas, Wm Killingsworth J W

The *Statesman* says "The good people of Douglas county give a very hearty endorsement of the *Farmer's* call for independent action in connection with their county politics and we have received a further list of about 200 names to be added to the same which indicates, what the sender of them declares, that the movement will sweep Douglas county with enthusiasm

Tuesday's Salem *Statesman* says "The steamer *Shoshone*, on her trip from Portland yesterday, made the fastest time ever made by any boat from that point to Salem Leaving Portland at 7 05 A M, she made a stoppage of fifteen minutes below Oregon City and reached this place at 6 10 P M, making the actual time, including 45 minutes occupied in passing through the locks, nine hours and fifty minutes"

NORDHOFF'S GROWL AT WASHINGTON TERRITORY NOMENCLATURE.

In his paper on The Columbia River and Puget Sound, in *Harper's Magazine* for February, Charles Nordhoff takes exception to the nomenclature of Washington Territory after this fashion It behooves the Sounders to vindicate the beauty of their appellatives

When, at Kalama, you enter Washington Territory your ears begin to be assailed by the most barbarous names imaginable. On your way to Olympia by rail you cross a river called the Skookum-Chuck your train stops at places named Newaukum Tumwater, and Toutle and if you seek further you will hear of whole counties labeled Wahkiakum or Snohomish or Kitsap, or Klikatat, and Cowlitz, Hookium and Nenolelops greet and offend you They complain in Olympia that Washington Territory gets but little immigration, but what wonder? What man having the whole American continent to choose from, would willingly date his letters from the county of Snohomish or bring up his children in the city of Nenolelops? The village of Tumwater is as I am ready to bear witness very pretty indeed but surely an emigrant would think twice before he established himself either there or at Toutle Seattle is sufficiently barbarous Steilacoom is no better and I suspect that the Northern Pacific railroad terminus has been fixed at Tacoma because it is one of the few places on Puget Sound whose name does not inspire horror and disgust.

SMALLPOX IN IOWA.—People who like to have a man when he undertakes to do a thing to do it thoroughly, may be satisfied with the recent achievements of a baker in an Iowa town The story is thus related in a telegram from Dubuque, dated 23d ult

The smallpox, which originated in Cascade, Iowa, 26 miles from Dubuque has spread to Farley and Worthington and seems to be getting worse every day. The disease could have been checked when the first case was discovered had the proper measures been taken, but instead of burying the body of the first fatal case quietly, and at night, the corpse was followed to the grave by a large funeral procession, and six pall bearers. The pall bearers are now sick, as well as several who attended the funeral One of the pall bearers was a baker, and after helping to put the body in the coffin and bury it he went home and to work as usual, with results that might have been expected He is now on the verge of the grave with smallpox, and so are all his customers The physicians say they have vaccinated in and around Cascade no less than 800 persons since the disease broke out There are forty cases in Cascade alone The people do not seem to feel or know the danger they are living in and go about town attending to business, and at the same time have a smallpox patient in their house The result of such want of caution has been the cause of the disease spreading to such an extent

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In a speech opposing reduction of the army, delivered in the House January 29th, Mr. Albright of the House Committee on Military Affairs, stated that the Modoc war cost $6 000,000 and 100 lives

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THURSDAY MORNING FEB 12 1874

IS IT GOOD BEHAVIOR?

Under this head the *Bulletin* returns to the charge upon Judge Deady with renewed violence. Taking for its text the proposition that United States Judges hold their office during good behavior the editor of the *Bulletin* preaches a sermon, the substance of which is that Judge Deady deserves to be impeached for misbehavior the specifications of misconduct being that he has lobbied measures through the legislature and has received compensation for work done by him in the preparation of laws to be passed by that body.

This is probably the first time in the history of the country that a man loses his right of citizenship when he takes a place on the bench. Every citizen has the right, and it may be argued that it is his duty to express his views of men and measures when these are matters of public concern, and it has not been and we venture to say it cannot be asserted that Judge Deady has done more than this. He has never been a lobbyist. That term is understood to be descriptive of a person who resorts to undue means to promote particular interests before the Legislature, generally for personal gain. Such a person as would contract to assist in procuring the passage of a certain bill through the last Legislature of Oregon, for a stipulated consideration of, say $1,500 is a lobbyist. It is not pretended that in any such sense Judge Deady has been a lobbyist. He has expressed his views of general measures (for he is a man who always has well-defined views, which are sought after), and he has never concealed the interest he felt in the passage of any act so far as we know. And when that is said all is said on the subject of his lobbying.

Then he is charged with receiving compensation for draughting bills to be presented to the Legislature. We know not whether this is true or not, nor can we see what there is wrong about it, if he has done so. Shall all the Judges be required to abstain from draughting laws? And for what reason, should they be required to do so? And how many Judges of the State courts can say they have never draughted acts for the Legislature? And did any one ever before suggest that in doing this they violated either law or propriety? But did they receive pay for it? Probably they did, but the question is wholly irrelevant. If it is right to do the act, it is not wrong to be paid for it. It is not claimed that Judge Deady has neglected the duties of his office, in order to get time for these outside labors. His promptness in the discharge of all his public duties, is proverbial. So his case is entirely different from that of an officer, say a Collector of Customs, for instance, who receives a large salary from the Government for his services as such and wholly neglects his duties, devoting his entire time to editing a scurrilous newspaper, owned by the very man who, being proprietor of the only line of steamships plying in the Customs district, is therefore the man whom, more than any other, the Collector is required, by his office, to watch. There is a manifest impropriety in the position of such a Collector as we have described. The interests are directly opposed to those of the Government, and the service of one is uncompatible with that of the other.

By-the by, is it possible that the peculiar relation of the Collector to the proprietor of the steamships explains the fact that with his coming into office all those troublesome proceedings against the steamships for violations of the revenue laws ceased? We should hope not; but people will have their own ideas under such circumstances, and sometimes in spite of all one can do to prevent it, they will ask. Is it "good behavior?"

A SENATOR ON PRESS CRITICISM

Senator Clayton rose to a question of privilege in the Senate the other day, to read and answer an item which appeared in the Boston *Advertiser*, and in which it was said that he had called on Postmaster General Creswell and requested that a free delivery might be ordered for Little Rock Arkansas; that Mr Creswell declined because the population of that city was much less than the law required and that the Senator thought this objection should not stand in the way, whereupon the Postmaster-General replied in very emphatic and pointed terms that he did not intend to violate the law even when requested to do so by a United States Senator. Mr Clayton did not accept this statement in a very lamb like manner but Mr Creswell did not relent, and the Senator was obliged to abandon the field first however expressing his opinion of the law and the Postmaster-General in a style somewhat peculiar to Arkansas.

The Senator said that no controversy of this nature had ever occurred and denounced the instigator of the charge as "a falsifier and peddler of falsehoods." He had made the request that Little Rock be provided with a free delivery and the Postmaster General had postponed taking active steps in the matter until the commencement of the fiscal year. Mr. Clayton gave his opinion of the proper limits of newspaper criticism in the following language:

Mr President I am one of those who believe that a free press is one of the most powerful auxiliaries of a free government. I believe they ought to go hand in hand together. I believe also in the system of free schools. I am indebted in a great degree to the free schools of Pennsylvania for what little education I have. I have a very lively recollection of having received on many occasions the good old fashioned chastisement for the violation of the discipline of the free schools, and I have a still livelier recollection of having had laid across my shoulders on divers occasions the birch for offenses that I never committed but perhaps, were committed by the boys sitting alongside of me; and I will say to the credit of one good old schoolmaster that when I convinced him that he had done me injustice he always seemed to be more sorry than I. Now I believe that the rod the newspaper men hold is a very good thing in its way, and when they lay it upon the shoulders of men who have committed offenses, I say "Lay on Macduff;" but I do ask the gentlemen to be a little careful how they slash around indiscriminately. It is not a very pleasant thing for a man to have that rod laid across his shoulders for an offense he has not committed, and although I have on many occasions taken it and said nothing I have resolved that hereafter when I have it laid across my shoulders for official offenses of which I may be innocent I will when I deem it necessary take this the only means that I know of to set myself right before the public.

This is all right enough. But just as the Senator was preparing to take his seat he happened to glance at another newspaper lying on his desk—the Baltimore *Sun*—and there he read another offensive item in which he was credited with telling the Postmaster General in the conversation previously cited that he would see him in h—ll before he would vote for any appropriation for the Postoffice Department. Had Mr Clayton forborne all comment on this charge he would have impressed a large part of the country with a profound belief that he was an injured statesman worthy of being canonized along with the Essex martyr who spouts at the forty jackass mud power of the press. But unfortunately the Senator from Arkansas admitted his having made the remark that he would not favor appropriations under certain circumstances adding "so far as any bad feeling between the Postmaster General and myself of a personal nature is concerned that is between him and me."

We presume there are several members of the Forty third Congress who can sympathize with the Senator of Arkansas in his personal explanation. The average Congressman is pretty soundly berated occasionally but it is an open question whether or not he gets as much as he deserves.

In the course of a discussion on national finances in the Senate January 23d Senator Gordon made some startling assertions concerning the depreciation of values in Georgia since 1860. He said that in 1860 the cash value of farms was over $157 000 000 while in 1870 the cash value of the same farms was only $91 000 000. He admitted that the cities were more prosperous but declared that the reason therefor was notorious in the South. It was the inability of the citizens of the country to support themselves upon their farms. They who, previous to the war had resided and prospered in the country, were now compelled to seek a livelihood in the cities. Senator Gordon also gave the following figures:

In 1860 we raised in Georgia about 31,000,000 bushels of corn; in 1870 we raised only about half that amount or 17 500 000 bushels. In 1860 we raised about 2 000 000 head of hogs; in 1870 we raised 988,000 hogs. In 1860 we raised of rice, 52,507 000 bushels, in 1870 we raised of rice only 22 207 000—less than half. In 1860 we had in cattle, of all kinds over 1 000 000 head; in 1870 we had only about 700,000.

We cite these figures because Senator Gordon, who should be well informed on the subject declares that Georgia is to-day the most prosperous of all the cotton growing States. The havoc wrought by the war is plainly shown but the Senator is satisfied that the disorder following the rebellion is not the real cause of these unfavorable statistics. He argues that under the present financial system, the agriculture of the country is absolutely prostrate. It is difficult to understand just how Georgia should be so unfavorably affected while New York escapes with a loss quite inconsiderable in comparison with the Senator's statistics. Nevertheless speedy resumption would, of course, improve the agricultural interests of the whole country east of the Rocky Mountains. What we mean to say is that Senator Gordon must strain a point or two to make our currency bad though it may be responsible for the evils which afflict the South.

The Washington *Chronicle* steps in between that hot headed youth of seventy years Henry S Foote and the valorous Jefferson Davis, with an argumentative "Don't!" It reasons that Foote's reputation for coolness in the presence of danger has been put to the severest proof more than once so that no demonstration is needed, and it is rather too late for Davis to establish a reputation for personal courage. The *Chronicle* thinks moreover that since asperities between these distinguished gentlemen commenced more than twenty years ago when both were more youthful than at present, and have continued ever since without bloodshed it would be imprudent to resort to the code, now. And the *Chronicle* sagely concludes: "It is therefore, quite clear to our minds that no benefit could result either directly or indirectly, from a battle of this sort." We suppose that settles the matter. But consider the ludicrous contrast between Jeff Davis of 1865 fleeing in petticoats and Jeff Davis of 1874 fighting a duel with the reconstructed Foote!

Our John Hipple is nothing if not rhetorical. Years ago when he was known as J H Mitchell, he used to deliver a temperance lecture around this Wallamet country in which he described most eloquently the "*[illegible] serpents*" that were supposed to be hatched in the boots of persons who imbibed too freely of ardent spirits. No lover of American eagle literature in Oregon can have forgotten the flourish of speech in which he indulged in the Legislature some years ago and which afforded amusement to the gallery. He said he had "*corralled*" his opponent—a meek-eyed Democrat from Jackson county—and that the *fence* in which he is enclosed *is a wall of adamant* and he is *catching at every straw as [illegible] I am a sinking ship*. And now he tells the United States Senate in a flaming peroration that "there is a trade Mr President that *looks along the horizon* of China and Japan." We take the liberty by the way to suggest to the Senator whether this last is not a proper case for the employment of blood hounds.

The Senate still holds Van Buren's nomination as Consul to Kanagawa in abeyance. The appointment has caused much comment at Washington and Eastern papers generally admit their inability to understand it. The New York *Times* gets over the apparent blunder by suggesting that "if Mr Van Buren is sent to Kanagawa it is probably only because the Government looks upon him as a good man to send to a remote place." This solution may be satisfactory to the puzzled *Times* but it will hardly come up to Van Buren's idea of endorsement or Jay's wish for explanation. And then there are very many outsiders [illegible] in the Vienna quarrel who will think that if Jay was right and Van Buren was rascally as United States Commissioner the Kanagawa Consulate should be kept open until a suitable candidate. The same individuals might reason further that if Jay was wrong and [illegible] Van Buren the former should be recalled.

Beck's resolution providing for the admission of all goods from foreign countries intended for display at the Centennial exhibition and the sale of all such goods duty free [illegible] was only a shrewd device of the gentleman from Kentucky to annoy the tariff people from Pennsylvania who thought he would be surely tempted to make some concession to free trade. It is said the House will [illegible] and peremptorily decline to consider the resolution. The Centennial Commission has prepared and General Hawley has introduced in the House a bill providing for the admission of Centennial goods free of duty with the restriction that if the same be sold at any time thereafter they must pay the duties levied at the time of their importation. This bill will probably pass.

The Cornelius *Pioneer* [illegible] is in a peck of trouble because our correspondent "Northwest" did not write something about the city where the *Pioneer* [illegible] is published and suspects we must have suppressed that part of the letter which related to the aforesaid city. We beg to assure our little neighbor that we did not suppress a line or a word of our correspondent's letter, about Cornelius or anything else. Our correspondent is a man who possesses a reasonable sense of propriety and is apt to refrain from mentioning every farm house he happens to pass. This explains the omission complained of. He doubtless took the city of Cornelius for the dwelling and outbuildings of some quiet farmer. We hope this apology is satisfactory.

Now we know what munificence may be made to mean. A paper in Washington City which is noted for the countless handsome things it says of every Federal officer on which its editorial eye rests says that Secretary Fish and Supervising Architect Mullett have mutually agreed to give to the poor of the District a very large quantity of refuse wood which has been accumulating for a long while on the grounds of the new State Department and it lauds the act in unflagging type. Munificence! This is a generous act. But the taxpayers of the United States would be better pleased to hear that Mr Mullett had resolved to squander no more of the public moneys on the deformed public buildings with which he has been experimenting.

That amiable message on Louisiana difficulties, which the President had prepared about ten days ago has not reached Congress yet. The Washington correspondents say it was submitted to the Cabinet and there slaughtered. It is known that Attorney General Williams submitted a message sustaining the Kellogg government by reasoning which the President could not approve. The document which was quietly suppressed in the Cabinet meeting expressed General Grant's personal views. We are sorry that it was not allowed to go to the country.

The *Bulletin* publishes at length the speech delivered by Senator Hipple on the bill to aid the construction of the Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Railway. It contains nothing new on the subject but presents the arguments commonly urged in favor of the measure very well. The speech is altogether a creditable one, and the cause advocated is so manifestly the cause of Oregon that every friend of our State will join in wishing the bill may become a law.

THE PULLMAN CARS IN ENGLAND.—A London dispatch of Jan 27th says: "A party of prominent personages made an excursion trip yesterday from Derby to Buxton in Pullman Palace Sleeping and Parlor Cars—the first put on the Great Midland Railroad of England under its contract with the Pullman Palace Car Company. This American improvement in railway traveling was received with great enthusiasm."

Jas B Groom of Cecil has been elected Governor of Maryland by the Legislature in joint convention. He will serve during the unexpired term of Gov Wm Pinckney Whyte United States Senator elect.

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MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The Republican State Central Committee will meet at Portland on Thursday the 19th day of February 1874, at 7.30 o'clock P M to arrange for the approaching State election and for such other business as may be deemed proper.

A full attendance of the members of the Committee is desired.

CHAS W PARRISH
Chairman

Portland Jan 20 1874

Members of the Republican State Central Committee

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In Salem Feb 4 Julie Converse.

On the North Fork of the Walla Walla Jan [illegible], Mr Tilman.

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TO BE GIVEN AT

ARMORY HALL,

MONDAY EVENING FEB 23, 1874

Tickets $4 00

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Honorary Committee

Col O F BELL — Capt P DENNISON
Maj E CAHALIN — [illegible]
Lieut WM YOUNG — [illegible]

Committee of Arrangements

J LIDDY — A J SUTHERLAND
C BALL — W J SHOWERS
W J BOWDEN — W B JONES,
H W CUSHING

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Captain H COOKE — Lieut A J SUTHERLAND
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GRAND PARADE DURING THE DAY

The EAST PORTLAND BAND is engaged for the occasion.

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FANCY SKATING!

THE GREAT

CHAMPION FANCY SKATING MATCH!

Between Messrs

HENRY THOMPSON & DAN'L HARVEY

WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE RINK ON Saturday Evening, Feb 14, for valuable Gold Prize and the Championship of Oregon. The Match will take place at 8 o'clock. The Prize and Championship will be awarded by a vote of the audience.

The person winning and retaining the Prize three months will become the permanent owner.

HERE WE ARE AGAIN!

SECOND

Annual Masquerade

OF

THE PORTLAND TURN VEREIN

AT

ANKENY'S HALL,

MONDAY EVENING, FEB 16, 1874.

Prizes will be awarded as follows:
1st Prize—For the handsomest Lady Character
2d Prize—For the handsomest Gentleman Character
3d Prize—For the most Comic Lady Character
4th Prize—For the most Comic Gentleman Character

During the Evening—Exposure of
BOSCO'S "MARVEL OF MECCA."

All Masks must give their names and name of costume before entering the Hall.

Music until 12 o'clock by the PORTLAND BRASS BAND—after 12 by YOST'S STRING BAND.

TICKETS:

Ladies' Masquerade Ticket	$1 00
Gents' " "	1 50
Spectator Ticket	50

Reserved Seats to be extra.

Those holding Reserved Seat tickets will be allowed to dance after 12 o'clock.

Tickets may be had at Allsky & Hegele's, Wm Pfunder's Drug Store, P Van Fridagh's, McCormick's Bookstore and of members of the Society.

THE COMMITTEE.

GRAND

ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

SECOND ANNUAL

GRAND BALL.

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A FORD — F W RYAN
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WILL ON TUESDAY EVENING FEB 3D open his Dancing School. Tuesday for school and Friday evening for soirees assisted by Professor Parrish at Nonpareil Hall, corner First and Madison streets.

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PARTIES LEAVING FOR THE CASSIAR COUNTRY and wishing to have their Letters forwarded by Express will find a book in which to Register their Names at the office of the undersigned on Yates street Victoria.

The first Express will be dispatched at an early date.

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Wholesale and Retail Grocer
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THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED TO RECEIVE on Storage

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, GRAIN AND PRODUCE,

In their Warehouse on Front street just below R R Ferry Landing.

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Something New!

JONES' SPRING BEDS!

BEST IN USE!

Cheaper and more serviceable than the Spring Mattress. For sale by

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To the Israelites of Portland and Vicinity:

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A NO. 1 MATZOTH.

All Orders Promptly Attended to.

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First Street corner of Ash.

[illegible] CALIFORNIA [illegible]

[illegible]

C. A. & C. M. HIBBARD'S

Celebrated HAND-MADE BOOTS & SHOES

[illegible]

Boiler and Engine for Sale.

THE HIGH [illegible] HORSE POWER [illegible] Boiler, Force Pump [illegible] in the *Herald* office is offered for sale [illegible] or cash. Enquire at [illegible]

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BRADLEY, MARSH & CO.

HAVE MUCH PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING to the Public of Portland and the residents in the surrounding country districts of Oregon that they have leased those extensive premises

S.E. COR FIRST AND STARK STS.

which they are having repainted and fitted up throughout and which they will be ready to open with their

Magnificent and Carefully Assorted

STOCK OF

DRY GOODS,

Purchased for CASH during the panic in New York

On Saturday February 7th.

This SPLENDID FIRE PROOF building is three stories high having a double frontage of 50 feet on First and 100 feet on Stark with basement extending the entire length of the building and when finished with plate glass windows, doors and PATENT ELEVATOR will be the

Most Perfect Dry-Goods Warehouse on the Pacific Coast

B. M. & Co. beg to notify Farmers, Grangers and others that having Agencies in

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They are prepared to make advances on every description of produce consigned to their friends for sale and will make it a study to have prompt account sales rendered. Country customers treated on the most liberal terms and supplied with all class of merchandise.

Produce Taken in Exchange if Desired

Orders from the Country will have the Special superintendence of one of the members of the firm. Samples and Price Lists forwarded on application.

New York, San Francisco [illegible]

WANTED—TWO EXTRA SALESMEN acquainted with city trade. The highest rate of salary will be paid to first class men.

ALSO

A [illegible] young man to deliver parcels.

N B—B M & Co also Lot will appear in a [illegible]

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AND

GENERAL IMPORTERS

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THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steamer

ORIFLAMME,

FRANCIS CONNOR — Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of F street for the above port

SATURDAY, FEB 14, 1874.
At 10 o'clock A M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner F and Front streets.
GEO W WEIDLER Agent

FOR VICTORIA, PORT TOWNSEND, SEATTLE, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE, AND SITKA.

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STEAMER ZEPHYR,

Will leave SEATTLE for SNOHOMISH RIVER every MONDAY returning same day.

For TACOMA, STEILACOOM and OLYMPIA, TUESDAY and FRIDAY. Returning WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY.

Any person wishing to connect with ZEPHYR for down Sound Ports can do so by leaving Portland on TUESDAY and FRIDAY until further notice.

J. R. ROBBINS,
Owner.

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RIVER STEAMERS.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock A M.

FOR ASTORIA—Monday Wednesday and Friday at 6 A M.

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A M.

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A. M.

S G REED, Vice President.

Oregon Steamship Company's

STEAMBOATS.

Notice.

FROM AND AFTER MONDAY, Sept. 22d, the steamer

E. N. COOKE

Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7.30 A M for Portland returning will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2.30 P M.

Passengers for LAFAYETTE and all intermediate places will take CARS at 8:15 A M, connecting at Canemah with the steamer DAYTON on Monday Wednesday and Friday connecting at Oregon City with the O & C R R Co at 3 P M, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Portland.

THROUGH TICKETS sold at the Office of the O & C. R. R. Co., at REDUCED RATES.

All Freight by this line delivered to consignees FREE OF DRAYAGE.

Freight received until 5 P M.
J D BILES Agent.

Willamette River Transportation Co.'s

STEAMERS

WILL LEAVE

FLANDERS' WHARF AT 6 o'clock A. M.

As follows:

FOR CORVALLIS AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS—Monday Wednesday and Friday.
FOR ALBANY AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS—Monday Tuesday Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.
FOR DAYTON AND McMINNVILLE—Saturday and Monday.

Passage to Corvallis	$3 00
Passage to Albany	1 50
Passage to Salem	1 00
Passage to McMinnville	1 00

B. GOLDSMITH, President.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

JAS W TROUPE Master

WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf for Vancouver at 3.30 P M. Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A M.
For freight or passage apply on board.

The Steamer Calliope

WILL MAKE TRI WEEKLY TRIPS between

Portland, Monticello and Freeport,

Leaving American Exchange Wharf every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock A M calling in at Lewis River on Wednesday up and Thursday down.
For Freight or Passage apply on board.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

The Self-Acting

RUBBERS AND OVERSHOES,

An article long needed by the public have just been received direct from the East by

GEO. A. PEASE & CO.,

CORNER OF

MORRISON & FIRST STS.

The only place in the city that has them. Call and see them and you will be sure to purchase as they are so handy and cheaper than ordinary shoes.

Full satisfaction guaranteed on all goods.

MECHANICS'

BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

FREIMAN & HUPPRICH,

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INVITE THE PUBLIC TO CALL AND SEE their New Stock.

Prices to Suit All.

King's Knickerbocker Plaster.

Warranted Equal to any in Market.

Hoffman's Rosendale Cement,

Direct from Factory.

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OF REAL ESTATE GROCERIES GENERAL MERCHANDISE AND HORSES

Sale Days---Wednesday and Saturday

At Private Sale.

Large assortment of GROCERIES and LIQUORS. Liberal advances made on Consignment. To parties declining Housekeeping I will state that I will purchase Second Hand Furniture.

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ASSIGNEE SALE

OF

Valuable REAL ESTATE

I will sell at the Court House Door on

THURSDAY, FEB. 12, 1874,
At 11 o'clock A M

VALUABLE HOMESTEAD PROP

Lots [illegible] in Block [illegible] in A [illegible] Addition to the city of East Portland.

ALSO

Block [illegible] in Atkins addition to the city of Portland.

ALSO

Lots [illegible] 6 and 17 in Block 21 in the city of Portland.

ALSO

Fractional Block 324

ALSO

Lots 3 and 4 in Block 32

ALSO

FARMING LANDS

The S W [illegible] of Section 14 in 6 W R 2, Washington county 160 acres.

ALSO

160 acres in Umatilla county.

ALSO

[illegible] acres in Columbia county.

ALSO

10 acres in Washington Territory.

H BOYD,
Assignee of W T C [illegible] bank.
A. B. RICHARDSON Auctr.

Regular and Peremptory Sale

OF

Real Estate,

FURNITURE, GROCERIES,

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, &c.

I will sell at my Auction Salesroom, on

SATURDAY, FEB. 14 1874
At 10 o'clock A. M

DESIRABLE HOMESTEAD.

Lots 1 2 3 and 4 in Block 18 in Couch's Addition to the City of Portland together with comfortable story and a half Cottage.

ALSO

CHOICE HOMESTEAD LOTS.

Lots 2 and 3 in Block 184 in Couch's Addition.

ALSO

The undivided north half of Block 12 in Couch's Addition.

ALSO

GROCERIES.

200 bxs Candles
30 kegs S. I. Syrup
100 bxs C. O. Soap
50 bxs I X L Soap
75 bxs L. B. Soap

ALSO

20 cases 99 lbs Virginia Fig Leaf Tobacco

ALSO

Parlor Diningroom and Kitchen Furniture.

A. B RICHARDSON Auctr.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BLUE LICK

WHISKEY.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of Kentucky Whiskey I am in receipt of an invoice of the same in barrels half barrels and cases which I am prepared to offer to the trade at jobbing rates.

H. FLECKENSTEIN,

SOLE AGENT

Wholesale Dealer in Wines and Liquors

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Price only Ten Dollars!

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Every Bed warranted and kept in repair for [illegible] years.

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Church and Hall Settees,

Of various kinds and prices.

Office Desks.

The Celebrated sterling fold seat SCHOOL DESK is becoming into general use and have the highest testimonials of its strength, durability and beauty from thousands of Teachers, Schools [illegible] Send for catalogue and price list.

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Yamhill Street between First and Second

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Fresh Fish from the Sound

EVERY DAY.

PRICES MARKED DOWN

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CITY.

THE ASTORIA.—This tug we learn will shortly be brought up to Portland to undergo thorough repairs. The *Astoria* has been running at the bar for some years, and during the time has performed an immense amount of heavy service in towing. Her boiler which was very powerfully and compactly built is nearly worn out and cannot render service much longer with safety. In order to increase the towage facilities about the bar Captain Flavel and the Simpson Bros purchased the new and powerful tug *C J Brenham* and brought her up from San Francisco. As before announced this tug arrived at Astoria on Monday. The *Brenham* is strongly built and her machinery possesses a working capacity equal if not superior to the *Astoria*. She is comparatively new and in excellent condition. The vessels which have been waiting for so many days at Astoria will soon be taken over the bar, if indeed they have not been already. It was thought that the condition of the boiler of the *Astoria* would not admit of that tug attempting to tow these heavy laden vessels to sea during rough weather. In a few days the *Astoria* will arrive here for repairs. It is probable that the old boiler which the long and constant use of salt and fresh water in generating steam has about used up will be removed and a new one substituted. The machinery will also be overhauled and repaired and the tug placed in splendid condition for service. Meantime her place on the bar will be filled by the *Brenham*. Hereafter there will be two powerful tugs at the mouth of the river instead of one.

DECLINE TO PAY.—During the freshet of last winter a large number of logs broke loose from the lower sawmill and escaped down the river. After infinite labor and considerable expense the majority of these fugitive logs were recovered from many points along the Columbia. These logs were then formed into an immense raft and secured to the bank near St Helens. Whenever the supply of logs at the lower mill was becoming exhausted a large number would be towed up which would furnish the demand for lumber for sometime. The boom gave way during the winter months and most of the logs remained until the summer was far advanced. When the Assessor of this county commenced his work, these logs not then being in Multnomah, were not assessed. However as they were lying in the vicinity of St Helens and in Columbia county they were assessed by Mr Perrine. Portions of the raft were removed at a time, and before the authorities were fairly aware not a log remained to tell the story. Of course, the company owning these logs did not pay any taxes to this county, so Sheriff Dart, of Columbia county came up a few days since and made an effort to collect the taxes due. His efforts did not meet with favor or success, for the Mill Company refused to pay a dollar. We are not advised as to what course Mr Dart has determined upon but it seems hardly probable that the Mill Company can thus evade the payment of taxes to both counties.

RAISED.—We learn that the effort made to raise the *Fannie Troup*, at the mouth of the Cowlitz river has met with success. The submerged craft has been partially raised and will doubtless be got afloat. Two large barges were brought alongside the boat, and strong chains passed under the sunken hull reaching from one scow to the other, and made fast. Yesterday the *Dixie Thompson* was to have hitched on for the purpose of drawing the boat out into deeper water. After the snag struck the hull it tore along for more than 20 feet, and then burst through and hung. The boat thus rested directly on the snag and stuck fast. When she is pulled out into deep water the scows will partially buoy her up and by this means the steamer can be towed or rather dragged through the water to this city. Unless some accident should occur, the *Fannie Troup* will probably arrive here to-day. No attempt will be made to repair the damage done the hull before bringing her up as the snag has torn such a ragged breach that it would be very difficult for carpenters to close it up water tight.

SHORT OF A CREW.—In consequence of some difficulty which occurred last week on board the schooner *Oregonian* between Mr Patterson, the chief mate, and a sailor named Lange, an account of which was published at the time, the crew left the vessel and refused to return unless the Captain would increase their wages. This demand was refused by the officer, and so the vessel was left without a crew. Everything being ready, the *Oregonian* proceeded down to Astoria although she had on board only four men in all—the Captain, two mates and one sailor. The first mate, Mr Patterson left the vessel and joined the *Melanchthon*, and his place was temporarily supplied by Mr W Brannon, who is employed on the tug *Ben Holladay*. On reaching Astoria however, all difficulty was remedied by the employment of a new crew when the vessel sailed away for her destination without further delay.

MOTION DAY.—Judge Upton yesterday was compelled to go to Salem to attend the session of the Supreme Court, and adjourned the Circuit Court to Monday morning. Saturdays have invariably been the days fixed upon for hearing and deciding motions during the term of court, but as there will be no court day after to-morrow Monday was fixed upon as the time for disposing of motions. Attorneys who have motions pending should remember this fact. Jurors who were excused at the convening of court until next Monday are, in consequence of this order of the Judge not required to appear at court until next Tuesday morning at 9 o clock. None of the jurors are required to make their appearance until that time.

NOT A TRUE BILL.—Several weeks ago Mr Robert Cleghorn the Superintendent of the Poor House was arrested on complaint of one of the inmates charging him with having opened a letter directed to the complainant, without his knowledge or consent. The matter came up for examination before Justice Ryan, who held the defendant to answer the charge before the Grand Jury. Yesterday that body had the case under investigation. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Grand Jury that the whole charge was an instance of malicious prosecution and that no crime was intended or had been committed they returned to the Court not a true bill and Mr Cleghorn was released at once and his bonds exonerated.

NO INDICTMENT.—The case of the redoubtable John Burgh whom Judge Denny held to answer the charge of assault on the person of Mr Stin[illegible] with intent to commit rape came up yesterday for judicial investigation before the Grand Jury. They concluded from all the evidence that no crime was committed, and declined to indict him. [illegible] friends [illegible] that he would be provided for [illegible] are thus blasted; but [illegible] the consoling reflection that he will [illegible] the County Jail for the next [illegible] on the charges of assault and [illegible] facing a building.

[illegible]—While on his way to this [illegible] a few days since Capt [illegible] met with an [illegible] the fore finger of his left hand [illegible] was [illegible] while Mr [illegible] distance [illegible] two [illegible] finger [illegible] The [illegible] is very [illegible] partially disabled this gentleman [illegible]

[illegible] Washington Terr[illegible]

[illegible]—Weather clear three [illegible] Dalles—[illegible]

[illegible]—The [illegible] *Oregon* [illegible] her [illegible] trip made splendid time [illegible] *Ben Holladay* [illegible] and arrived at Astoria early [illegible] on [illegible] the coa[illegible]

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.—We learn that delegates to the Woman Suffrage Convention are already arriving in the city, and a large number of ladies and gentlemen are expected to arrive this evening from Salem, Albany, Lafayette, Oregon City, and many other points. A number of noted politicians have consented to address the Convention some in favor and some against the enfranchisement of woman while a number of ladies are ready with addresses essays etc etc appropriate to the occasion. Sessions will open at 10 A M and at 2 and 7 P M of each day. Convention to be held in Masonic Hall.

JURY OUT.—Immediately after delivering his charge to the jury in the case of John Schmeer vs C C Bauer Judge Upton started for Salem yesterday afternoon to remain several days. In the event a verdict is agreed upon it will be handed to the Clerk sealed up in an envelope which can be forwarded by mail or express to Judge Upton or remain in charge of the Clerk of the Court until his return. However should the jury fail to agree upon a verdict the Judge will be notified of that fact by telegraph in which case he will order their discharge after they have remained together for a reasonable time.

PATENT APPLIED FOR.—Mr Geo Heidner of this city who some time ago received a patent for a mop has just invented a device which is intended to serve the purpose of a rack for hanging brooms umbrellas or any article that is supplied with a handle. It is made of wood and is quite simple in its arrangement. He has applied for a patent to the Department. Mr Heidner is quite a genius and employs his spare time in devising some article likely to be serviceable in the office, parlor or kitchen.

COLLECTING TAXES.—Sheriff Dart, of Columbia county, is now in the city collecting taxes from those who own property in that county but reside here. There are about $1 200 worth of taxes due from residents of this city and county and the Sheriff would be very happy to see all persons who possess assessable property in Columbia county. He would likewise be gratified to furnish all such individuals with his autograph on receipt of "cash money for the fast freight."

TRUE BILLS.—The present Grand Jury have returned to the court thus far true bills against the following persons: J D Barker, larceny; William Archer alias J C Wall, larceny in a dwelling; William Rogers larceny in a dwelling; Joseph Howard R Williams, Christien Hansen, and Michael Mooney all for larceny from a ship. Each of these defendants have been arraigned, and counsel appointed by the court. The time for pleading has not been fixed by the court.

THE HARD NUTS OF ARITHMETIC CRACKED.—Henderson s Lightning Calculator makes plain and easy what has been considered difficult. Evolution is laid open to the student so that Square and Cube Root are plain as simple Addition. In fact it throws more and a stronger *light* on all the operations of arithmetic, than all the other works on arithmetic combined. No thoughtful young man nor student will delay securing a copy of the work.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, February 11, 1874

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	38°	41°	3[illegible]°
Wind direction	S	N W.	Calm
" velocity miles pr hour	6	3	
Weather	Cloudy	Lt Rain	Lt Rain
Total rainfall during the day			0 1[illegible] inches

SMOKE STACK.—The smoke stack for the new steamer *Willamette Chief* has just been finished at the Willamette Iron Works, and will be placed in position in a few days. This is one of the largest smoke stacks which has been made here at any time. It is about 45 feet long and over 36 inches in diameter.

NOTICE TO PUPILS.—All pupils of the Public Schools of the city, and others who desire to make application for admission to the High School are notified to be present at the Central School building, for examination this (Thursday) morning at 9 o clock, sharp.

FIRE BOX.—A number of men are engaged in making a new fire box at the Willamette Iron Works for the new steam tug *Cordelia*, being built by Fred Congdon. The machinery is soon to be transferred from the *Mary Bell* and placed on the new craft.

STREET PLANKING.—The steamer *Maria Wilkins* came from down the river yesterday morning with a load of lumber. She landed at the foot of F street, and discharged her load. This lumber will be used in planking streets about the city.

MELANCTHON.—This barkentine is at present at Weidler s mill, below the city, taking on a deck load of lumber for San Francisco. She has so far completed her cargo as to be ready to proceed down the river to-day, in tow of the tug *Ben Holladay*.

ORIFLAMME.—This steamer having completed discharging cargo on this side of the river was hauled over to the east side wharf yesterday to receive freight. She is advertised to sail for San Francisco this evening.

THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON J

WEDNESDAY Feb 11 1874

Millard & VanSchuyver vs J D Tackleberry, judgment for plaintiffs for $299 48 and costs on motion to issue execution.

A J Watson vs F Besser et al, decree foreclosing mortgage.

All jurors not empanneled excused until Tuesday 17th inst at 9 o clock.

Monday next fixed by the Court as motion day.

John Schmeer vs C C Bauer cause tried and submitted.

State vs Robert Cleghorn, Grand Jury returned not a true bill.

State vs John Murphy, not a true bill returned.

Grand Jury presented three bills of indictment.

State vs J D Barker larceny arraigned—R L Bybee appointed counsel.

State vs Wm Rogers larceny from a dwelling house defendant arraigned—H Y Thompson appointed counsel.

State vs Jos Howard, Richard Williams Christien Hansen and Michael Mooney larceny in a ship defendants arraigned—Moreland and Chrisfield appointed counsel for Hansen and Mooney.

Court adjourned until Monday at 9 o clock A M.

COUNTY COURT—HAMILTON J.

COMMISSIONERS

Ordered that the assessment on the property of J G Henning be reduced to the amount of $2 500 less State tax on original assessment.

Ordered that an appropriation of $20 be made in favor of Mr Newton for [illegible] and that an order be drawn in the name of Annie O Brien.

Ordered that the assessment of property of [illegible] Dunnels be reduced to the amount of $200 on personal property provided that he pay the State tax on original assessment.

IN LAW

Walter [illegible] vs [illegible] P[illegible] Judgment by default for plaintiff in the sum of $[illegible]

D W Williams and [illegible] Myer vs P [illegible] judgment by default to plaintiff for $[illegible] and interest from 1st of [illegible] 1870

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

[illegible] Bank [illegible] consideration $[illegible]

[illegible] Ball [illegible] Gustave Stru[illegible] consideration $[illegible]

C M Carter and wife [illegible]

J S Burkhart [illegible] Block 203 [illegible]

N B [illegible] Joseph [illegible] consideration $[illegible]

M[illegible] [illegible] at Harris & [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] Mr [illegible] Beck & Williams [illegible] hat are [illegible] quality and [illegible] finest [illegible] [illegible] an enormous extent [illegible]

COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING FEBRUARY 11 1874

The Common Council of the city of Portland met pursuant to ordinance. His Honor Mayor H Failing in the chair.

Present—W S Caldwell Clerk, J H Lappeus Chief of Police. Councilmen Besser, Burton, Caswell, Hill, Hoyt, Lyon and Story.

Absent—Councilmen Morford and Russell.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS

The petition of J B Daly and others asking the construction of 100 feet of sidewalk leading from their property on Caruthers street to Front street was read and placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred the petition of the O & C R R for a reduction of assessment, reported that the questions raised by the application were questions of law rather than of fact; the committee therefore submitted a resolution receiving and adopting the assessment roll as returned by the City Assessor and revised. The report and resolution were adopted.

The Committee on Fire and Water reported a contract with the Portland Water Company to furnish the city of Portland with water until July 1 1875 at the rate of $800 per month. The contract was placed on file.

The Committee on Fire and Water to whom was referred the communication of J I Parker reported that the Council had already voted to said Parker all moneys due him, and that his communications were irrelevant. Report placed on file.

The same committee reported in favor of paying the bill of P G B[illegible] for $84 for excavating done on Stark street sewer. The report and bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred the ordinance declaring the cost of improving Harrison street reported back the ordinance properly amended. The report was placed on file.

The same committee reported recommending that an appeal be taken to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Circuit Court of the Fourth Judicial District, in the case of the city of Portland vs O N Denny. The report was adopted and the Auditor was directed to give official instruction to the City Attorney to appeal said cause.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

The Superintendent of Streets reported that he had a requisition on the Chief of Police for a number of city prisoners to be employed in cleaning streets in front of public property, and that he was informed that no guard had been furnished in such cases. The report was referred to the Committee on Health and Police.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY

The following claims against the city were ordered paid: A G Walling, two bills, $29 50; OREGONIAN Publishing Co, $5, Wells, Fargo & Co, $4 50, J B Congle, $2, Oregon Iron Works, $17 75, John Donnerberg, $25 95, J M Fronk, $52, Chas Lawrence, $56.

The bill of the Police Commissioners ($90) was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

ORDINANCES.

An ordinance making an appropriation out of the special fund for the payment of interest on city bonds, was read a first and second time, rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed.

An ordinance levying a special tax of 85-100ths of 1 mill on the taxable property of the city for the payment of interest on the city bonds was read a first and second time, rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed.

An ordinance making an appropriation of $12 550 for the erection repairing and keeping the street lamps in order, was read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance levying a special tax of 1 mills on the taxable property in the city, to defray the expense of erecting, lighting and keeping in order the street lamps, was read a first and second time.

An ordinance making an appropriation of $24,194 95 to defray the expense of the Fire Department, was read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance levying a special tax of two and five sixth mills for the expense of the Fire Department, was read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance making appropriations out of the General Fund for the ordinary expenses of the city government, was read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance levying a tax of four mills for the payment of the ordinary expenses of the city government was read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance fixing the pay of the Chief of Police for board of city prisoners at 40 cents per day of twenty four hours was read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance regulating the use of the city prison was read a first and second time.

An ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving that part of the city known on the sewerage map as the Central Sewerage District, introduced by Councilman Besser was read a first and second time.

An ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving that part of the city known on the sewerage map as the Clay street Sewerage District introduced by Councilman Besser, was read a first and second time.

An ordinance, regulating the mode of expenditures of public moneys and the presentation of claims was read a third time and passed.

An ordinance, providing for the lighting and keeping in order the street oil lamps of the city of Portland, was read a third time amended by providing that said lamps shall be put in good repair without expense to the city and in other minor particulars placed upon its final passage and lost—ayes 4 noes 3.

An ordinance declaring the probable cost of improving that part of Harrison street between the east line of Front and the east line of Fourth street was read a third time and passed.

An ordinance authorizing the construction of a cistern to contain [illegible] gallons at the intersection of Stark and First streets was read a third time and passed.

MISCELLANEOUS

The Auditor was instructed to give notice that the Common Council proposes to improve Park street from Stark street to B street by laying sidewalks and planking gutters where necessary.

A resolution was adopted instructing the Chief Engineer to turn off the water from certain cisterns in order that it might be ascertained whether they were needed.

A resolution [illegible] the Auditor [illegible]

The Auditor was [illegible] the [illegible] Front and Columbia streets by planking the same.

A resolution was adopted directing the Auditor and Clerk to present to the Common Council at its next regular meeting a tabular statement showing the amount of receipts by the Police Department or any and all members thereof during [illegible] including [illegible] Police Commissioners' fees [illegible] board of city prisoners [illegible] impounding animals [illegible] all other items of which he may have [illegible] knowledge and that [illegible] the amount of all [illegible] paid into the city treasury by the Police Department or any officer or member thereof.

On motion the Common Council adjourned.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Steamer off at 4 P M Saturday.

Burglars are not as busy as they were a week ago.

The Council meeting last evening was decidedly interesting.

The Council held a long session last evening. Some language was used.

A mixture of snow and rain last night—and the latter had the best of it.

Lard firmer says the market report. It generally is in cold weather.

The Metropolitans have their hands full now with the Chinese question.

[illegible] is back again at Kohn s after an absence of 12 months in California.

An operator in the W U office here thinks he can jerk the forked lightning bald headed.

The man who slipped on one of the [illegible] yesterday was heard to say something about Helen.

The *Oriflamme* will carry away more coin to San Francisco to pay old debts or to buy new goods.

"Love bordered note paper" is what a young lady called for at one of the book stores yesterday.

St Valentine s Day is near and the P O clerks are purchasing less perfumery than formerly.

The new Board of Delegates meet this evening. As officers are to be elected a full board is requested.

Burrell s large storeroom in the new block on Front street near Washington is being filled with grain.

That "drops cure a jumping toothache," would seem to fulfill the Homeopathic formula "like cures like."

Yesterday four persons thought they would shake dice "just once" for a chance (one dollar) in a raffle, and they finally wound up by going through about thirty dollars.

Tax levied by the Council last evening, on all taxable property in this city amounts to nine dollars and sixteen two thirds cents on each $1 000. Police department yet to be provided for.

Jos Brehman, President of 2 s who knows the state of the money market at any hour day or night will absent himself from the city for a week or two. His name will appear in the passenger list of the *Oriflamme*.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following notice to mariners, in relation to the Fog Signal at Point Reyes has been furnished us for publication by Gen Michler.

Notice is hereby given that the steam fog whistle at Point Reyes Light-station California having been temporarily discontinued will be sounded during thick and foggy weather on and after January 20th 1874 at intervals of 32 seconds the length of each blast being 8 seconds.

Caution.—This fog *whistle* must not be mistaken for the fog *siren* at Point Bonita, (entrance to the Golden Gate) the trumpet of which gives blasts of 4 seconds, at intervals of 36 seconds.

By order of the Lighthouse Board.
JOSEPH HENRY *Chairman*
Treasury Department Office Lighthouse Board, Washington D C Jan 17th 1874

SOCIAL EVENTS.

It is predicted that the number of maskers on the floor at the Carnival next Monday evening will exceed two hundred. Ample arrangements will be effected for the comfort of spectators. The Turners know how to entertain.

The eleventh annual ball of the Washington Guard is announced in our advertising columns. The Committees have been appointed and everything augurs well for an evening of genuine pleasure. During the day the Company will parade and in all probability other Companies will join them. We wish the Guard success.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A B Richardson will sell at the Court House this morning at 11 o'clock some very choice real estate. Read his advertisement.

VANCOUVER ITEMS.

Several new books have been added to the Vancouver Public Library.

The Good Templars entertainment which was announced for the 16th inst was changed to the 11th.

Intelligence was received a few days ago of the death of Mrs Turner, wife of Mr Turner of Washougal at Burnt river Baker county, Oregon, whither she had gone for the benefit of her health. Mrs Wright mother of the deceased left here on Friday last to pay her a visit although the letter announcing Mrs Turner s death came on the day of Mrs W s departure but was received by her friends too late to save her the long and unpleasant journey.

A Stiles of Washougal precinct reports stock in that vicinity as wintering remarkably well. He is making about 160 pounds of butter per week from forty eight cows. During the last summer he made 18 000 pounds of cheese from about fifty cows. We visited his cheese factory when in full blast and were pleased to see all the modern improvements, steam vats etc—everything being carried on in the latest methods of the art the operator having learned his trade from an Eastern operator of fifteen years experience. The products of this establishment find their way direct to Portland by the Dalles boat. A few additional establishments of this kind would obviate the necessity of importing cheese from the East.

On Tuesday evening the 10th inst a very interesting wedding came off at St Luke s Church the parties being Mr Walter L Riggs and Miss Clara M Bidwell. The church was very handsomely decorated and brilliantly illuminated. Besides the Christmas decorations which still remain intact, a large gothic arch was raised in front of the chancel which was covered with evergreens white flowers being bountifully interspersed among them and a wreath of flowers surmounting the crown of the arch. At 8 o clock the bridal party entered the organ st playing the Wedding March as the party moved up the aisle to the front of the chancel. The Rector the Rev A S Nicholson assisted by the Rev Dr McCarty performed the ceremony the bride being given away by her step father the Hon J M Fletcher. After the ceremony the invited guests repaired to the home of the bride s parent where a bountiful repast was served and the evening passed in merriment.

M[illegible] at Harris & [illegible]

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A Richmond Oak Point
D Ibberton Or City
A McCully Westport
W M McCully Hillsview
J A Henderson S F
H H Hickman S F
[illegible] Snook Lewiston
R A Wheeler Harrisburg
T Kamberg wife & child Oakland
J B Starr Lafayette
R O Gibson Hillsboro
M A Mohr Cornelius
J Dickerson Ohio
J Stile Washougal

ST CHARLES HOTEL

J M Robb Albion Iowa
Mrs A C Cook Vancouver
Capt J I Johnson U S A Vancouver
H H D Moore U S A Vancouver
[illegible] A Brown McMinnville
M E Roberts and wife McMinnville
[illegible] McDonald Yamhill
Capt Sones Astoria

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL

M Davis S F
W C Lloyd S F
W H Patterson S F
C C Garrett wife & child Hubbard
Ed Stewart Vancouver
H H Welch Dayton
E H Cary Lewis river
J H Carroll Hubbard
Mrs Walker St Helens
J C Trullinger Center ville
D J Turpin Cornelius
Mrs Rodger N Yamhill
J W Watts Lafayette
Mrs C F Watts Lafayette
F Woodworth S F
S Foster Seattle
W McDonald, Olympia
Mrs West Westport
J Kent Dalles
W R Butler S F
W C Willis Dallas
Woodward Salem

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C I Baker & wf Salem
G W Woolson Wheatland
J M Johns Marion
J Curtis Kalama
H I Morrison Salem
C D Arnolds S F
N F Metcalf S F
C B Crosno Kings Valley
Jas M Watson Kings Valley
C W Mason Corvallis
B F Hartman McMinnville
W G Fowler, Boston
John Cahalen S F
A N Peters & wife Eugene
Theo J Spitz S F
A J Linkerston S F
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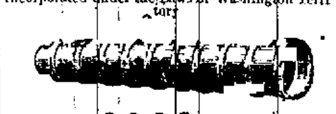

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The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, FEB 12 1874

POOR FATHER JOHN

Old farmer John is more perplexed—
Nay, farmer John is really vexed;
He labors early, labors late,
Yet ever talks of adverse fate,
For all his toilings scarce suffice
[illegible] for lands to pay the price.

[illegible] summers come, the summers go,
[illegible] showers waste the winter's snow;
He works from dawn till close of day,
Receiving naught but frowns for pay;
His good wife toils, and anxious care
Has [illegible] his cheek and hair.

Acres on acres stretch away
Of woodland, corn, of wheat and hay;
His cattle roam o'er many a hill,
His brooklet turns the grinding mill;
Yet still he sighs and longs for more,
And grumbles o'er that he is poor.

Four sturdy sons, four daughters fair
Claimed at his hand a father's care;
He gave them labor without end,
And [illegible] their souls like his to bend
Into the narrowing groove of thought—
Gold to be earned, land to be bought.

Yes, farmer John is growing poor,
You feel it as you pass his door;
His old brown house is small and mean,
The roof is warped by crack and seam;
The leaning bars, the half-hinged door,
Proclaim old John is very poor.

No books, no pictures on the wall,
Carpetless rooms and dreary hall;
Why think it strange such farmer's boys
Should seek the city's pomp and noise,
Should learn to loathe the sight of home,
Where naught of grace or joy may come?

Why think it strange his poor old wife,
Who coined for him her very life,
Should pant at last, despite his frown,
And lay her weary burden down,
In joy to walk the streets of Heaven,
Where naught is sold, but all is given?

Go where you will, search earth around,
The poorest man that can be found
Is he who toils through life to gain
Widest extent of hill or plain,
Forgetting all his soul's best needs
In counting o'er his title deeds.

—*Christian* [illegible]

RIGHTS IN LITERARY PROPERTY

BRET HARTE TAKING TO HEART THE PUBLICATION OF A BOOK WITH HIS NAME AS AUTHOR—SEEKING REMEDY IN THE COURTS—INTERESTING PROCEEDINGS.

A case came up yesterday in the Supreme Court Chambers, before Judge Lawrence, involving an important question—the rights in literary property. A modern *litterateur*, of certainly extended reputation in his way and who in that curiosly quaint poem, "The Heathen Chinee," discourses of

> Ways that are dark
> And tricks that are vain,

claims himself to have been made the victim of ways that require the light of legal illumination and tricks the vainness of which he claims demands a prompt and summary judicial estoppel. Bret Harte, it seems, several years ago wrote a series of sketches for the *Golden Era* of San Francisco, Cal, under the title of

"CLISS, THE IDYL OF THE RED MOUNTAIN."

According to his lawyer's statement some misunderstanding arose between Bret Harte and the editor and after having fairly launched his characters and excited public curiosity as to their future careers and destinies he refused to write any more. The *Golden Era* editor, with that fertility of resource indigenous to many knights of the quill, employed another writer to take up the thread of the narrative and finish the story. The prolific imagination of the latter extended the series without any trouble, and a paper in this city republished them as fast as they appeared. An enterprising publishing house here published them in book form—the yellow literature style of book, however, with paper covers. It was sold at news stands, in cars, on steamboats—sold anywhere and everywhere—sold as Bret Harte's book. Meantime Bret Harte's books are published in Boston—published with solid covers in green and blue and purple and red and gold. He objects to the enterprise of the publishers here, and upon this objection application was made yesterday, before Judge Lawrence, for an injunction restraining them from any further publication or sales of "Cliss, the Idyl of the Red Mountain."

AN ALLEGED LITERARY FRAUD.

Mr Walker, who took up the legal cudgels for Bret Harte, after reciting the facts given above, showed the pamphlet edition of the book in question, which covers 143 pages, show how the title page made it appear as the sole production of Bret Harte, showed that the opening chapters, as written by Bret Harte, close with the thirty-fourth page, and in conclusion, showed at the bottom of this page the note, "The remainder of this story was written by another hand than Bret Harte," but it will be found equally interesting and able. He pronounced the whole thing a fraud, a clearly intended and unmistakable fraud. Persons would buy the book supposing that Bret Harte wrote it and then getting through a few pages would discover how they had been imposed upon.

LITERARY LUSTRE.

"But the rest of the book is much better written," interrupted Mr. Warren, the opposing counsel.

"Yes, I know in the answer," replied Mr. Walker. "It is set forth that the rest of the book adds lustre to the name of Bret Harte, but the word lustre is misspelled as well as the fact being misstated. I will read portions of both to the Court, to let the Court judge for itself as to the relative literary merits of the two writers."

A SENSIBLE JUDGE.

"Excuse me," said Judge Lawrence, at which all laughed, and then added, "the question as to which is the superior writer forms none of the merits of the case."

"It is certain," persisted Mr. Walker, "that the literary merits of my client have been greatly damaged by the publication of this book." He then entered into an elaborate argument as to the rights in literary property. He cited various

ENGLISH CASES,

including one in which Lord Byron was a party, and how, through an injunction, a volume of poems claiming to be his was prevented from being sold. He then instanced various cases here where newspapers had been prevented taking names very similar to others, where hotel proprietors had been prohibited stealing the names of other hotels, where publishers of songs had been restrained from poaching on the manors of other song publishers, and so on till the cases were curious as well as instructive. In this connection he also read copiously from Shortt's elaborate work on "The Law Relating to the Works of Literature and Art." Reverting to the respective merits of the two writers, he said he gave the book to a literary critic to read, &c, and the verdict was that the plot was pretty well worked up, but after all the latter part reminded him of champagne that had stood with the cork out—the sparkle and bubble and life were gone.

THE PUBLISHER'S STORY.

In replying Mr. Warren read an affidavit of the publisher saying that the book was a reprint from the newspapers, that the story had never been copyrighted and therefore he had a right to republish it. He also read the affidavit of

A LITERARY EXPERT,

pronouncing the latter part of the book much better written than the fore part. He also went extensively into the law on his side and thought it queer that years should be allowed to elapse before bringing this suit. He made a strong point of the damage to Bret Harte's literary reputation. In the part written by Bret Harte he had found the words "the damned little cuss" five times on six pages. He then read from this part of the book, causing much merriment, a description of a

CLERGYMAN'S VISIT TO A SCHOOL,

and how on the clergyman telling the children the biblical story about the sun and moon standing still a bright boy jumped to his feet, with the exclamation, "It's a damned lie. I don't believe a word of it."

After some further argument Judge Lawrence took the papers.—*N. Y. Herald* [illegible]

A MONSTER PUNISHED.—Patrick Naughton, says a Cincinnati dispatch of January 22d, was convicted in the Police Court to-day of throwing a live dog into a locomotive furnace, burning him to death. He was fined $400 and sentenced to the work house for six months. The case was prosecuted by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. He was a locomotive engineer.

GEORGIA GRANGERS.—A dispatch dated Atlanta, January 22d, says the State Grange adjourned to-night. They adopted a resolution recommending the creation of a State Bureau of Agriculture. A direct trade company was organized with a capital stock of $100,000.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, February 11 1874.

Gold in New York to-day 11[illegible].

Portland Legal Tenders buying 89½, selling 90½.

Gold bars are quotable at 7[illegible]@750 fine.

Exchange on San Francisco at [illegible] of 1 per cent discount.

Liverpool Wheat.—By [illegible] advices from San Francisco [illegible] for average California and 13s 9d@14s for club.

There [illegible] generally in [illegible] with the opening of the business of the spring season the [illegible] anticipated. At this time the money market is not compelled to work [illegible] though some [illegible] enterprises [illegible] are making very little progress [illegible] a supply of available funds. The [illegible] of the mercantile trade, however, are supplied with [illegible] rather [illegible] ordinary rates. Some important transactions [illegible] have occurred the past week, and we learn from agents that the inquiry on this subject has been increasing for some time past. Taking all things into consideration the degree of activity in general commercial circles is quite fair for the season in the year, this being the period coming in between the close of the winter and opening of the spring trade. Our people, however, will as a rule be able to pass through it without serious embarrassment.

A [illegible] of business [illegible] our advices from the East. The January settlements of nearly all the great firms were met without default, while those few which were under a cloud at one time were meeting current obligations and anticipating some extent those that run into the future. With credit, which were so seriously impaired during the panic, rapidly being restored to their normal condition and with the stocks of merchandise throughout the interior comparatively small and a liberal surplus of the products of the soil still to be disposed of, there seems to be no reason why the year should not be one of at least average prosperity.

The total amount of the precious metals produced in 187[illegible] in States and Territories west of the Rocky Mountains, including British Columbia and Mexico, is reported by the annual statement of Wells, Fargo & Co as exceeding that of 187[illegible] by $10,000,000. The aggregate exceeds that of 187[illegible] more than $10,000,000. Arizona, California, British Columbia, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana decrease. Nevada, Utah and Colorado increase. The increase in Nevada alone is nearly $10,000,000, the total product of which about equals all the others. The combined product of all shows—for 187[illegible] [illegible]; for 18[illegible], $72,258,09[illegible]—undoubtedly the largest yield for one year in the history of the Pacific coast.

Miscellaneous.

The number of foreign bound vessels arriving at this port, and loading Wheat and Flour, from Aug 1 187[illegible] to date has been 42, their carrying capacity being equivalent to 1,421,764 bushels of Wheat.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Oriflamme (hence for San Francisco) will sail on Saturday at 4 P M. She will have a full freight list.

The schooner Oregonian, hence for San Francisco with grain and flour, has gone to sea.

The barks Etta Stewart and Pekin and the brig Hazard are discharging ballast and receiving cargo.

The barkentine Melancthon has her cargo well in and will probably go down the river to-morrow.

The Hera remains in quarantine.

The Coloma and Nabob sailed from San Francisco on the [illegible]th *to* this port instead of *from* it as the types made us say yesterday.

Home Produce Market.

This branch of trade exhibits no new features to-day, business generally being light, with continued large receipts of Flour, ground feed and grain. Eggs are also plentiful and prices dull. We quote prices below:

WHEAT—Inactive at $1 7[illegible]@1 8[illegible] ₽ cental.

FLOUR—Per bbl in jobbing lots $6 [illegible]@[illegible] for extra of standard brands outside and good country brands $[illegible]@6. Superfine $[illegible]. Fine $[illegible].

OATS—In sacks, good lots of white command 4[illegible] cents per bushel, black 40c.

BARLEY—Duller at $1 40 ₽ 100 lbs.

FEED—Bran ₽ ton, $14a1[illegible]; chopped feed $22a[illegible]; shorts $22 50a24.

HAY—Baled timothy $14a1[illegible] ₽ ton, loose do [illegible]; $[illegible] less; wild grass, $[illegible].

POTATOES—Best varieties 4[illegible] cents ₽ bushel; common 40a4[illegible]c.

ONIONS—Nominal at $1 7[illegible]a2 ₽ cwt.

BACON—Choice well trimmed country cured sides 11a11½ cents ₽ pound; shoulders 9a[illegible]c; hams 1[illegible].

LARD—Fresh Oregon in tins 12½ cents ₽ pound; in kegs 11a11½c.

BUTTER—Fresh roll, 20@22 cents ₽ pound; solid in kegs 16a18c; in brine 20a25c; fancy print, 40a45c.

CHEESE—From Oregon dairies 16a17 cents ₽ pound.

EGGS—Large lots cannot be placed at more than 20 cents ₽ dozen.

POULTRY—Chickens grown and large at $[illegible] ₽ dozen, mixed lots $3 75; geese, $[illegible]; turkeys, $[illegible] 18 ₽ dozen.

FRESH MEAT—Choice young steers 5a6c ₽ lb on foot, common 4½a5c; mutton sheep $2 50a3 ₽ head; dressed hogs 7c for good lots.

HIDES—Dry undamaged 15c ₽ pound, green 6a7c; culls 11a1[illegible].

TALLOW—Clean lots 7 cents ₽ pound, common 6c.

WOOL—Best fleeces washed 2[illegible]a2[illegible] cents ₽ pound; common and unwashed 20a22 cents.

General Merchandise.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Mowers: Buckeye new model $130, Buckeye No 2 $110, Buckeye No 1 $[illegible], Buckeye Self Raker $[illegible], Hand Raker $[illegible], Buckeye Dropper $2[illegible], Clipper No 2 $1[illegible], Nos. [illegible] $110, No 1 $1[illegible], No [illegible] $1[illegible]; Sprague Mowers Nos. [illegible] and [illegible], $1[illegible] and 1[illegible]; Union, 120; Dodge's Reaper, No 1 $[illegible], No 2 $230; Excelsior Reaper and Mower $2[illegible]; McCormick's Self Raker $[illegible], Hand Raker $1[illegible]; Harvesters: Marsh's $240; Haines Headers $335 and $3[illegible]. Threshers: Vibrator Thresher 8 horse mounted power, complete, $87[illegible]; 10 horse mounted power complete $925; Sweepstakes $[illegible] to $825 with or without mounted power; Pitts Improved Buffalo, Nos 1 to 5 $600 to $8[illegible]; Tornado $[illegible] to 825; Wheeler's Endless Chain $[illegible] to $[illegible]. Wagons: Bain [illegible] inch to 4 inch thimble skein $1[illegible] to $1[illegible]; Pacific do $14[illegible] to $1[illegible]; Mitchell with patent or square bounds and roller brake $145 to $16[illegible].

BAGS AND BAGGING—Prices are weak and standard 22x36 are selling in San Francisco at 15@20 per cent less than cost of importation. The same quotable here at 16 cents. Burlaps 10oz 40 inch 12@12½.

BOOTS AND SHOES—Men's Slaughter Boots $48@57; story $36@$42; Cordova $[illegible]; Granite $[illegible]; Columbia $60@$[illegible]; P Calf $[illegible]; Milford standards $[illegible]; J K & Co extra calf $[illegible]; Phila B B calf $69@$72; S F French calf [illegible]; $69@$7[illegible]; S F half dress $[illegible]; S F Congress Gaiters, $48@$60; S F Calf Oxfords $[illegible]; S F Bdo do $[illegible]@$27. Ladies J K & Co B calf sewd Bals $24@$2[illegible]; do kip plough shoes $1[illegible]; do kid fox Bals $21@$2[illegible]; S F do do $1[illegible]; S F XXX do do $33@$36. Misses S F kid fox $17 [illegible]@$21. Hibbard's Custom Made Farmers kip [illegible]; do A kip [illegible] $65; do F kip [illegible] $7[illegible]; do F kip [illegible] $[illegible]; do A F Calf extra fine hand sewed, $1[illegible]; do A Calf Hibbard extra [illegible] $72 to $[illegible]; Boys $[illegible] to $48; Ladies full Calf $25 to $[illegible]; Misses shoes inferior grade, $1[illegible] to $2[illegible].

BROOMS—The [illegible] prices are firm at $4@$5 per doz for common and $[illegible] for best to extra best.

BUILDING MATERIALS—Mill prices delivered in the city are: Fir lumber, rough $12 per M; edged $14; surface sheathing $16; siding $2[illegible]; rustic $2[illegible]; flooring $22 50; roofing $1[illegible]; seasoned flooring $[illegible]; one side planed $2[illegible]; four sides planed $[illegible]; sidewalk and wharf flooring $11. Laths [illegible]; Pickets 1¼ inch lineal per 100 [illegible]; lattice [illegible] per 10[illegible]. Shingles $2 [illegible] per M.

CANDLES—We quote ₽ lb Sperm [illegible]; Paraffine [illegible]; Adamantine [illegible]; Grant's [illegible]; Crosby & Co [illegible]; Chemical Wax [illegible]; Pope's [illegible].

CANNED GOODS—Oysters $[illegible]; Jams and Jellies $4 [illegible]; Los Angeles Honey $[illegible]; Strawberries $4 [illegible]; Rasberries $4 [illegible]; Blackberries $4 00; Pine Apple $[illegible]; Green Gage $3 75@$4; Peach $4 2[illegible]@$4 [illegible]; Pie Fruit $[illegible]; Green Peas $[illegible]; Green Beans $3 50; Lobsters $3 [illegible]; Clams $[illegible]; Green Corn $[illegible]; Tomatoes $[illegible]; Quinces $[illegible].

CEMENT &c—New Jersey $6; Cal. Lime Plaster $5; Land Plaster $2 [illegible]; Santa Cruz Lime $2 [illegible]; San Juan Lime $[illegible]; English Portland Cement $[illegible]; Hoffman's New York Cement $[illegible].

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the following jobbing prices: Costa Rica 2[illegible]; Guatemala [illegible]; Java [illegible]; J F Jones & Co's Ground Java 30; Chartres [illegible]; [illegible] Premium [illegible]. No Rio or Manila in the market.

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots: Alum [illegible]; Borax [illegible]; Blue Vitriol 1[illegible]; Cream Tartar [illegible]; [illegible] ₽ doz $2 [illegible]; Sulphur [illegible]; Saltpetre in kegs [illegible] per lb; Soda Caustic [illegible].

DRY GOODS—Standard drills [illegible]; seconds [illegible]; sheetings light 11½, medium 1[illegible], standard 1[illegible]; [illegible]; bleached sheeting [illegible]; cotton checks [illegible]; linen check [illegible]; cambrics 10c; Cotton flannel [illegible]; do brown [illegible]; [illegible]; Denims [illegible]; Hickory stripes 12½; standard prints [illegible]; Bear Duck [illegible]; linen damask brown [illegible]; damask bleached [illegible]; [illegible]; Waterproof $1 0[illegible]; [illegible] Lawns [illegible].

FISH—Cod, Pacific [illegible]; Eastern [illegible]; Mackerel No 1 ₽ hf bbl $16 00; do No [illegible] $[illegible]; [illegible]; Salmon [illegible]; extra [illegible]; hf bbls $[illegible]; [illegible]; Canned spiced [illegible]; [illegible] cans $3 25 per doz; [illegible]; Sardines qrs $[illegible]; hf $[illegible] 50.

FRUITS (dried) AND PRESERVES—Apples 4½@[illegible]; picked [illegible]; Peaches 12a1[illegible]c; Hungarian Prunes 1[illegible]c; Plums pitless 14a15c; Raisins new crop in bxs $[illegible]; hf do $[illegible]; quarter $[illegible]; eighth boxes $[illegible]; Zante Currants 11c; Oregon dried [illegible]; Citron 50c.

METALS—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch [illegible]; English pig reported in San Francisco $[illegible]; refined bar ₽ lb [illegible]; Sheet Iron [illegible]; [illegible]; Copper—sheathing ₽ lb 4[illegible]; do Yellow 4[illegible]; sheathing bronze [illegible]; Tin plates—[illegible] char off IX [illegible]; IC $1[illegible]; [illegible]; Plates $1[illegible]; Banca Tin [illegible] ₽ lb [illegible]; Steel—English cast steel ₽ lb 18c; Lead—Pig ₽ lb [illegible]; Sheet 1[illegible]; Pipe 1[illegible]; Bar 1[illegible]; Zinc—Sheets ₽ lb 14c; Babbit metal 30a40; Quicksilver [illegible]. Hardware has advanced [illegible] per cent.

NAILS—Quotable 60 [illegible] to 10d $7 25 ₽ keg; 8d $7 50; 6d $8 [illegible]; [illegible] $7 [illegible]; cut spikes $6 [illegible] ₽ keg; fence [illegible] ₽ keg advance on same size common; finishing and brads [illegible] ₽ keg advance on corresponding size common box nails [illegible] ₽ keg advance in price of common same size.

NUTS—Almonds [illegible]; Brazil [illegible]; Filberts [illegible]; Hickory [illegible]; [illegible]; Walnut [illegible].

OILS—We quote our market [illegible]; [illegible]; [illegible]; [illegible]; Lard [illegible]; [illegible]; Kerosene [illegible].

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS—Blankets [illegible]; [illegible]; Flannels [illegible]; [illegible]; [illegible]; Shirts [illegible]; [illegible]; White [illegible]; Fancy shirt [illegible]; twilled [illegible]; Cloths [illegible]; Cassimeres [illegible]; White and Grey [illegible]; Socks [illegible]; [illegible]; [illegible] of 2[illegible] ₽ pair on [illegible] blanket when sold by the bale.

PAINTS—We quote [illegible]; [illegible]; Pioneer [illegible]; [illegible]; Greenland [illegible]; [illegible]; French Zinc [illegible]; [illegible]; ordinary [illegible]; [illegible]; [illegible] cents.

RICE—Large stocks in hands of importers; quotable China [illegible]; [illegible]; Carolina [illegible] in the market.

ROPE—Manila [illegible]; Sisal [illegible]; Flax [illegible]; [illegible] twine [illegible]; [illegible] Eastern [illegible].

SALERATUS—Bartons [illegible]; Lonnelly's [illegible]; [illegible] bbl tins 10c 10½c.

SALT—Ground Rock $[illegible] ₽ ton; Carmen Island $[illegible]; Liverpool coarse in 60[illegible] sacks $[illegible]; [illegible] in 100 lb sacks [illegible]; do fine in 200[illegible] sacks [illegible]; do in 50lb sacks $[illegible].

SYRUP—We quote in bbls [illegible]; in hf bbls 4[illegible]; [illegible] in kegs 47½@[illegible].

SOAP—Quotable firm for P. Irving, [illegible] in jobbing lots at 7c [illegible].

STARCH—The agents' rates with the usual discount off to the trade are for Hard Glass pure 12 lb boxes 10¼c; 1 lb papers 11[illegible]; silver gloss [illegible] lb bxs 10½c; 1 lb papers 13c; Peorla Satin Glaze [illegible]; Corn, 1 lb papers [illegible].

TURPENTINE—We quote jobbing prices firm at 8 [illegible] 90 cents ₽ gallon.

Retail Family Market.

The following are the prices at which the principal articles of consumption are sold by our retail Dealers:

GREEN FRUITS		CANNED GOODS	
Oranges ₽ [illegible]	1 [illegible]		₽ doz
Limes ₽ doz	[illegible]	Oysters 2lb cans	[illegible] 00
Cocoanuts each	[illegible]	do 1lb cans	[illegible]
Cal. Grapes ₽ lb	none	Lobsters 2lb cans	[illegible] 00
Cranberries ₽ gal	[illegible]	do 1lb cans	[illegible] 00
Lemons ₽ [illegible]	[illegible]	Sardines qr tins	[illegible] 00
Peaches ₽ lb	none	do hf tins	[illegible] 00
Apples ₽ box	[illegible]	Clams	[illegible] 00
Plums ₽ lb	none	Green Corn [illegible]	[illegible] 00
		Peas [illegible]	[illegible] 00
DRIED FRUIT		Beans [illegible]	[illegible] 00
Figs Cal ₽ lb	16a20	Tomatoes [illegible]	[illegible] 00
Figs Asia Min new	[illegible]	Peaches 2½lb	[illegible] 00
Figs old	20a25	Pine apples 2½	[illegible] 00
Apples	10	Strawberries	[illegible] 00
Plums pitless	[illegible]18	Blackberries	[illegible] 00
Prunes Ger & Fr	20a25	Apricots 2lb cns	[illegible] 50
Pears	8a10	Jellies in tins	[illegible] 00
Bananas ₽ doz	$1 00	Jams in tins	[illegible] 00
		Mushrooms	[illegible] 50
GROCERIES			
Coffee ground ₽ lb	[illegible]	SAUCES, ETC.	pts qts
do green C R	[illegible]	₽ doz	
do Rio	none	Worcestershire	[illegible]
do Java	[illegible]	Catsup Tom	[illegible]
do Mocha	none	do Mushroom	[illegible]
Sugar crushed	[illegible]	Capers	[illegible]
do pulverized	14a16	Curry Powders	[illegible]
do granulated	14a16	Mustard Fch	[illegible]
do Yellow	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do Island No 1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do No	[illegible]	Pickles English pt	[illegible]
do extra	[illegible]	qts	9 00
Milk condensed	[illegible]	NUTS	
Candles adamant	[illegible]		
do Paraffine	[illegible]	Almond	[illegible]
do Sperm	[illegible]	Walnuts	20a25
Oil Kerosene ₽ gal	[illegible]	Brazil	[illegible]
Syrup Golden ₽ gal	[illegible]	Filberts	20a25
Tea—	₽ lb	Peanuts	15a20
Gunpowder	$1 25a1 50	Pecan	15a20
Imperial	1 [illegible]	Chesnuts	17
Young Hyson	1 00a1 25	Hickory	12½
Hyson	1 00a1 25		
Eng Breakfast	1 00	GAME	
Japan	60a1 00	Duck wild ₽ pair	[illegible]
PROVISIONS ETC		Geese	1 00
Butter—	₽ lb	Swan	2 00
Fancy Dairy	35a40	Grouse	75
Good	30a35	Pheasants	62
Ordinary	15a18	Venison ₽ lb	[illegible]
Cooking	[illegible]	FISH	
Cheese California	20		
do Eastern	25	Eastern Cod ₽ lb	12½
do Oregon	20	Boneless	14a16
Hams country	18	Pacific Cod	8a12
do city	18a20	Sturgeon	[illegible]
do Sugar cured	18a20	Salmon	8a10
Shoulders	10a12	Dessicated Cod	20
Bacon clear sides	[illegible]	Mackerel ₽ kit	2 [illegible]
do Breakfast	15a16	Fresh Oysters ₽ 100	75
Lard—		VEGETABLES	
Pure Leaf in tins	17½	Squash Cal ₽ lb	[illegible]
Good in tins	15	Beets	[illegible]
In bulk	[illegible]	Onions	3
Honey Yellow comb	25	Carrots	2
do white	25	Turnips	[illegible]
Eggs ₽ doz	[illegible]	Blackberries	[illegible]
BREADSTUFFS		Cherries	[illegible]
Flour—	₽ sack	Cabbage ₽ doz	1 00a2 00
Fancy brands	1 87½	Cauliflower	2 00a[illegible]
Choice	1 75	Potatoes	1
Common	1 [illegible] 50	Asparagus	[illegible]
Graham extra	1 50	Lettuce ₽ doz	[illegible]
Corn meal Cal ₽ lb	4a[illegible]	MEATS	
do Oregon	[illegible]	Beef ₽ lb	5a10
POULTRY		do choice ct	[illegible]
Hens grown ₽ pr	$1 00	Mutton	[illegible]
Roosters	1 00	do choice cuts	[illegible]
Spring chickens	87½	Veal	[illegible]
Ducks tame	1 [illegible]	Pork	[illegible]
Geese	1 00	do choice cuts	[illegible]
Turkeys	[illegible]		

Arrival and Departure of Mails at the Portland Post Office.

Eastern and California through mail arrives daily at 4 20 p m. Closes at 6 a m.

Way mail going south on the East Side R R for Oregon and Northern California arrives daily at 4 20. Closes at 7 00 a m.

West Side R R for Hillsboro and Forest Grove arrives daily at 4 10 p m. Closes at 7 a m.

The Dalles and Eastern Oregon, Washington Territory and Idaho arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at 1 p m. Closes at 9 p m.

Kalama, Olympia, St Helens, Monticello, Rainier, Astoria arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at about 6 p m. Closes at 5 a m.

Sauvies Island, Mount Coffin, Skomockaway, Cathlamet, Eagle Cliff, Oak Point leave Monday, Wednesday and Friday, arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at about 6 p m. Closes at [illegible].

Scappoose, Westport, Columbia City, Willamette Slough leaves Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arrives Monday, Wednesday and Friday at about 6 p m. Closes at 5 a m.

Knappa leaves Thursday, arrives Friday about 6 p m. Closes at [illegible] a m.

Lafayette via Tualatin, Middleton and Newby leaves Saturday, arrives Friday at 7 p m. Closes [illegible].

Salem via Damascus, Eagle Creek, Cuttingsville, Butte Creek and Silverton leaves Tuesday, arrives Friday at 6 p m. Closes at 6 p m.

Scholl's Ferry leaves Saturday, arrives Monday at 10 a m. Closes at 10 a m.

White Salmon, W T, leaves Saturday, arrives Monday at 1 p m.

Sitka, Alaska, once a month.

San Francisco, Cal by steamer each Friday.

INSURANCE.

FIREMAN'S FUND Insurance Co. of California,

SHOWING ITS

FINANCIAL CONDITION DEC 31, 1873.

The following figures are of a gold basis.

CAPITAL STOCK, fully paid $300,000 00

Assets.

Cash on hand in Company's Office	[illegible]
Cash in Bank of California	[illegible]
Cash in [illegible]	[illegible]
Cash in Ladd & Co. [illegible] Agency Banks	[illegible]
[illegible] New York	[illegible]
Cash in Union National Bank, Chicago	[illegible]
United States Bonds	[illegible]
Loans on Bond and Mortgage	[illegible]
Bills [illegible]	[illegible]
Real Estate [illegible]	[illegible]
Furniture	[illegible]
Marine premiums [illegible]	[illegible]
Interest [illegible]	[illegible]
Fixed [illegible]	[illegible]
Salvage [illegible]	[illegible]
All other property	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Premiums in course of collection	[illegible]
Gross Assets	[illegible]

Liabilities.

Losses adjusted but not due and in process of adjustment	[illegible]
Dividend unclaimed	[illegible]
Dividend [illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]

Reinsurance Reserve.

Fire	[illegible]
Marine	[illegible]

Business of 1873—Income.

Net premiums received on Fire Risks	[illegible]
Net premiums received on Marine Risks	[illegible]
Net premiums—notes received do	[illegible]
Interest	[illegible]
Rents	[illegible]
All other sources	[illegible]
Total Income	$61[illegible]

Expenditures.

Losses paid on Fire Risks, net	[illegible]
Losses paid on Marine Risks, net	[illegible]
Dividends to stockholders	[illegible]
Taxes, State and National	[illegible]
Eastern Bills Payable—60 day drafts given in payment of Boston losses maturing in January and February	[illegible]
Commissions and brokerages	[illegible]
Salaries, fees etc	[illegible]
All other expenditures for Home, Eastern and Western Departments	[illegible]
Interest on borrowed money	[illegible]
Total Expenditures	[illegible]

Losses Incurred during the Year.

Fire	[illegible]
Marine	[illegible]

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Net Assets 18[illegible]	[illegible]
Net Assets 1872	[illegible]
Gain	[illegible]
Income 18[illegible]	[illegible]
Income 18[illegible]	[illegible]
Gain	[illegible]

The Fire Income of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company of California is derived from moderate lines widely distributed, thus avoiding the dangers to policy holders and Company of heavy concentration of risks.

D. J. STAPLES, President.
ALPHEUS BULL, Vice President.
GEO. D. DORNIN, Secretary.
WM. J. DUTTON, Asst Secy.
THOS. C. CRANT, Gen'l Agent.
EDWARD HALL, Manager
Oregon Branch, 38 Front street, Portland, Oregon.

HOME MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

Fire and Marine Insurance.

Capital ....$1,000,000.

JOHN H. REDINGTON	President
GEO. H. HOWARD	Vice President
CHAS. R. STORY	Secretary
N. B. EDDY	Marine Secretary
H. H. BIGELOW	General Manager

DIRECTORS:

Oregon Branch.

PORTLAND	P Wasserman, C H Lewis, B Goldsmith, D Macleay, Lloyd Brooke.
SALEM	L F Grover
ALBANY	J A Crawford
DALLES	D M French
LEWISTON	J Lowenberg

HAMILTON BOYD,
Agent for Oregon and Washington Territory.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

ALFRED KINNEY, M. D.
Office in Dekum's Building,
(Over Clarke & Henderson's Store.)
N. W. Corner First & Washington Sts.
Office Hours—From 10 A M until 1 P M, and from 6 until 8 P M.
Residence S E corner Seventh and Washington streets.

JOHN B. PILKINGTON, M. D.
OCULIST AND AURIST.
ROOM 2—DEKUM'S BUILDING, CORNER FIRST AND WASHINGTON STREETS.
Office Hours—10 to 12, 3 to 4 and 7 to 8 P M.

DR. MARY A. THOMSON,
Physician and Accoucheur.
RESIDENCE AND OFFICE—Third street between Salmon and Main, opposite the Public Square. Calls attended in any part of the City. Batteries for sale and instructions given on the use of Electricity as a Remedial Agent.

DR. C. SCHUMACHER,
Physician & Accoucheur.
Pfunder's Drug Store,
First and Oak Sts.

BUSINESS CARDS.

KRUMBEIN & GILBERT,
Architects & Superintendents
CREE'S BUILDING,
PORTLAND, OREGON.

J. A. THOMAS,
PAINTER,
Shop and Residence, corner Seventh and F Streets.

REMOVED.
JOHN BRADY,
MANUFACTURER OF BOOTS AND SHOES TO No. [illegible] Washington street—last of his old stand.
PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

GEO. L. STORY,
No. 45 FRONT STREET,
OFFERS FOR SALE
PAINTS, OILS, WHITE LEAD
Varnishes, Brushes, Glass, Etc.
ATLANTIC WHITE LEAD;
Various Cheaper Brands do do;
FRENCH AND AMERICAN ZINC;
METALLIC PAINT;
VARNISHES, English and American.
OILS.
BOILED AND RAW LINSEED;
LARD, DOG FISH, SEAL;
PARAFFINE and MACHINERY;
COAL OIL, Downer's Boston;
" Cheaper Brands.
WINDOW GLASS,
WALL PAPER.

LAW CARDS.

CHAS. A. BALL	RALEIGH STOTT

BALL & STOTT,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.
ROOM—DEKUM'S BUILDING,
Corner of First and Washington streets, Portland.

GEO H DURHAM	H Y THOMPSON

DURHAM & THOMPSON,
Attorneys-at-Law.
109 First street, opposite Occidental Hotel, Portland.

E. D. SHATTUCK	B. KILLIN

SHATTUCK & KILLIN,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW;
ROOM 1—Dekum's Building, North west corner of Washington and First streets.
A. C. Gibbs, U. S. Dist. Atty. — D. [illegible] Hughes.

GIBBS & HUGHES,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
Room No 4 Dekum's Building.

F. A. CHENOWETH,
Attorney-at-Law—Corvallis, Oregon.

REMOVAL.
WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,
Attorneys at Law.
HAVE REMOVED FROM ODD FELLOWS' Temple to Rooms No [illegible] in [illegible] Building, corner First and Ash streets, Portland.

THOS. J. DRYER.
Justice of the Peace.
OFFICE—Front Street, between B and C.

NOTICE.

HAVING THIS DAY DISPOSED OF MY BUSINESS to [illegible] H Lewis and Jacob Strauss, I take this method of thanking my numerous friends and customers for their liberal patronage, and I [illegible] that a continuance of the same will be extended to my successors.

All debts due me are to be paid to the new firm, either of whom are authorized to sign my name in liquidation.

Portland, Jan 13 1874. — [illegible] LEVY.

BANKS.

LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept subject to Check at sight.

COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted.

INTEREST FROM DATE paid on Coin Time Deposits.

Coin & Currency Exchange

(Sight and Telegraphic) for sale on

SAN FRANCISCO	NEW YORK
ST LOUIS	CHICAGO

Bills of Exchange,

Drawn in the usual way for any sum desired on

LONDON	HONG KONG
PARIS	BERLIN

FRANKFORT ON THE MAIN.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PORTLAND.

Designated Depositary and Financial Agent United States.

President	HENRY FAILING
Cashier	JAMES STEEL

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN COIN OR CURRENCY subject to check at sight.

INTEREST ALLOWED on Time Deposits of Coin.

LETTERS OF CREDIT issued available in the Atlantic Cities.

SIGHT EXCHANGE AND TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFERS payable in NEW YORK, CHICAGO, on — Coin or Currency for sale SAN FRANCISCO, ST LOUIS.

SIGHT or [illegible] DAY BILLS drawn in sums to suit, direct on LONDON, BERLIN, PARIS, FRANKFORT ON THE MAIN.

SAVINGS. SAVINGS.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PORTLAND.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

THIS BANK HAS ESTABLISHED IN CONNECTION with the general Banking business a SAVINGS DEPARTMENT and will allow Interest on Coin Deposits made in accordance with the conditions adopted by the Association.

In establishing a SAVINGS DEPARTMENT this Banking Association has in view the benefits to accrue to a class of persons having small sums to loan by providing a safe place of deposit, ample security and fair rate of interest, as well as to aggregate and bring into use idle capital.

For the safety of deposits in this Bank are pledged its entire capital and resources and also the personal liability of its Directors and Stockholders, as provided by Section 12 of the National Currency Act approved June 3 1864, a greater security than that given by ordinary Savings Banks. Printed copies of the conditions upon which deposits are received may be had upon application at the Bank.

HENRY FAILING, President.
JAMES STEEL, Cashier.

Directors:

HENRY FAILING	HENRY W CORBETT,
L. H. WAKEFIELD	JOSIAH FAILING,
JAMES STEEL	

THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

Paid up Capital.........$1,562,500

WITH POWER TO INCREASE TO

$10,000 000.

HEAD OFFICE—5 East India Avenue, Leadenhall Street, London.

BRANCHES

In Vancouver Island, British Columbia, San Francisco and Portland.

AGENCIES

In New York, Canada, Scotland and Ireland.

Exchange for Sale on

England, Ireland, Scotland, New York and Canada.

INTEREST ALLOWED on Time Deposits at the rate of SIX (6) PER CENT. PER ANNUM for periods of three months and upwards.

Approved Bills discounted or Collected. Loans made on available collaterals.

EDWIN RUSSELL, Manager.

The Anglo-Californian Bank,

(LIMITED.)

412 California Street, San Francisco.

London Office, - - 3 Angel Court.
New York Agents, J. & W. Seligman & Co., 21 Broad Street.

AUTHORIZED

Capital Stock - $6,000,000

Will receive Deposits, open Accounts, make Collections, buy and sell Exchange and Bullion, loan Money and issue Letters of Credit available throughout the world.

R. G. SNEATH, IGN. STEINHART	Managers.

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Rock River Paper Company's

PATENT

FELT ROOFING.

PUT ON FOR $6 PER SQUARE.

PREPARED PLASTERING BOARD,

Sheathing and Carpet Paper.

For sale by H. C. MORRICE, Masonic Temple, Portland.

Regalias and Trimmings.

ONLY REGALIA HOUSE IN THE STATE.

MASONIC BOOKS AND BLANKS,

Gold and Silver Laces, Fringes, Spangles, Stars, Bullion, Etc.

H. C. MORRICE, Masonic Temple, Portland.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of [illegible] Ripley, bankrupt.—In bankruptcy. I hereby give notice that a third and final general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the city of Portland in said District on the [illegible] day of February, A D 187[illegible], at [illegible] o'clock A M, at the office of H H Northup, Esq, Register in Bankruptcy, in and for the District, for the purposes named in the [illegible] section of the Bankrupt Act of March [illegible]. And I also give notice that I have filed my accounts as assignee of said bankrupt's estate in court and that I will at said hour on said day apply to the court for a settlement of said accounts and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of [illegible].

JOHN CATLIN, Assignee.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the business of Mrs. C. Levy have this day formed themselves into a copartnership under the firm name of Lewis & Strauss, and will conduct the wholesale and retail Dry Goods and Millinery business as heretofore.

H. LEWIS.
JACOB STRAUSS.

Portland, Jan 13 1874.

NOTICE.

ACTING BY AND UNDER AUTHORITY OF the State of Oregon I hereby give notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted to JAMES C. VAN RENSSELAER that they make payment of such debt to me at my place of business on First street, within sixty days from the date hereof, as I am agent and Van Rensselaer [illegible] the present [illegible] at the same place.

[illegible] SCHUYLER.

Portland, Oregon, January [illegible] 1874.

ASSIGNEE'S Notice of Appointment. District of Oregon, ss.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of [illegible] B. [illegible] and C. B. Comstock & J. F. Steggan of Portland in Multnomah county, in the State of Oregon, within said District, who have been adjudged bankrupts on creditors' petition by the District Court of said District.

[illegible] BROOKE, Assignee.

MARKETS.

J. S. KELLER,
Has removed to
Stalls 1, 2 & 3, City Market,
Where he will be prepared to supply Fresh
Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

CITY MARKET
Stalls No [illegible] & 46.
C. R. HOFFMAN,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer of
Beef, Pork, Veal and Mutton.
Sausage, Head Cheese, Tripe, and CORNED MEATS.

REMOVAL---ENLARGED.
REID & VESTAL,
CENTRAL MARKET,
(Formerly of Stalls 2[illegible] and 2[illegible]) now occupy
Stalls Nos. 8, 9 and 10.
INCREASED FACILITIES for DISPLAY.

REMOVED.
C. M. ROHR,
of the
FRANKLIN MARKET,
Has removed to his Old Stand, cor. First and Taylor streets, where he will be happy to see his old customers or any other man.

PORTLAND MARKET.
E. H. GARLING,
Cor. MORRISON and SECOND STREETS,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND the best of all kinds of MEATS. All orders delivered in any part of the city Free of Charge. Also KOSHER BEEF, VEAL AND MUTTON.

CHRIS. SCLOTH
INVITES HIS OLD PATRONS AND the public generally to call at his
NEW BUTCHER SHOP,
Washington St., one door East of Third.

SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W. SPAULDING,
Saw-smithing & Repairing
ESTABLISHMENT,
17 and 19 Fremont street between Front and Battery.
SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W. SPAULDING'S PATENT FALSE TEETH inserted in circular saws.
REPAIRING in all its branches, such as Gumming, Re-Toothing, Straightening, etc.
CIRCULAR SAWS of all sizes; also Cross-cut, Mill, Mulay, Gang, Buck, Butcher and Hand-saws of all kinds, together with a good assortment of Saw Arbours at lowest market rates.
Cast Steel faced PLANER KNIVES and MOULDING CUTTERS always on hand, or made to order on short notice.
N. B.—Messrs. KNAPP, BURRELL & CO., Commission Merchants, Portland, Oregon, are my duly authorized Agents for Oregon, Washington and Idaho.
Orders sent through them by telegraph or otherwise will be filled at same rates as if sent to me direct.

P. LIESENFELD'S
Billiard Table Manufactory,
571 Market Street, San Francisco.
SOLE AGENTS
On the Pacific Coast
FOR
Phelan & Collender's
NEW DESIGN BEVELED TABLE, PATENTED June 6 1871; also the EUREKA WIRE CUSHIONS patented May 21 1871, and the celebrated Combination Cushion. Also, patent UNRIVALLED STEEL PLATE CUSHIONS.
On hand a large assortment of Bagatelle, Pigeon Hole and the new patent Bagatelle, called MONITOR, patented Sept. 10 1872.
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Coos Bay Coal Agency.
BERRYMAN & DOYLE,
DEALERS IN CUMBERLAND, LEHIGH AND all descriptions of
Foreign & Domestic Coals, also Pig Iron.
Bulkhead, bet Pacific and Jackson sts., San Francisco.
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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ordinance No. 1431.

AN ORDINANCE TO PREVENT OBSTRUCTIONS and injury to the sidewalks.

The city of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. No person or persons occupying any building or premises fronting or abutting on any street which has been improved by laying sidewalk shall place or cause to be placed any wood to be used for fuel on the sidewalk in front of or abutting upon their respective premises, except in actual course of delivery, in which case such wood shall not be allowed to remain on the sidewalk more than four hours.

Section 2. No wood to be used for fuel shall be cut, sawed or split on any sidewalk.

Section [illegible]. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall, on conviction, be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars, or shall be imprisoned in the City Jail not less than two nor more than twenty days.

Section 4. The Chief of Police is hereby directed to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council February 4 1874.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved February [illegible] 1874.

HENRY FAILING, Mayor.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE,
Portland, Oregon, Feb 10 1874.

The following telegram has been this day received:

San Francisco, Feb 10 1874.

Point Bonita was [illegible] away. Fog Signal stopped [illegible] the new.

I. A. WILLIAMSON, Light House Engineer.

To General N. Michler, Light House Engineer, Portland, Oregon.

Official:

N. MICHLER, Light House Engineer.

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In bankruptcy. In the matter of Joseph Kellogg, O Kellogg and H Kellogg, as Kellogg & Co, bankrupts. United States of America, District of Oregon, ss. A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Joseph Kellogg, O Kellogg and O H Kellogg, as Kellogg & Co, of the county of Washington and State of Oregon, in said District, who have been duly adjudged bankrupts upon petition of their creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupts to them or to their use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of their estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Portland, Oregon, in said District, on the [illegible] day of February A D 1874, at [illegible] o'clock A M, at the office of H H Northup, Register in Bankruptcy in said District.

THOMAS [illegible], U. S. Marshal for said District.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of A S McClur[illegible], bankrupt.—In bankruptcy. I hereby give notice that a second and third and final general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the city of Portland, in said District, on the [illegible] day of February A D 1874, at [illegible] o'clock A M, at the office of H H Northup, Esq, Register in Bankruptcy, for the purposes named in the 27th and 28th sections of the Bankrupt Act of March [illegible]. And I also give notice that I have filed my accounts as assignee in said Court, and that I will at said hour on said day apply for a settlement of said accounts, and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate.

JOHN CATLIN, Assignee.

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MEDICAL.

TO THE UNFORTUNATE!
NEW REMEDIES! NEW REMEDIES!
Dr. Gibbon's Dispensary,
623 KEARNEY STREET, NEAR COMMERCIAL,
San Francisco. Established 1854 for the treatment of Sexual and Seminal Diseases, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Syphilis in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, etc. Diseases of years standing and Ulcerated Legs successfully treated.

DR. GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing that he has returned from visiting the principal hospitals of Europe and has resumed his practice at his dispensary, 623 Kearney street, corner of Commercial, San Francisco, where his patients and others requiring his services may find him.

The Doctor has spared neither time nor expense in seeking out new remedies, and has returned with increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

Horrible Disease.

How many thousands of persons, both male and female, are there who are suffering out a miserable existence from the effects of secret indiscretion, or from virus absorbed into the system. Look at the pallid, emaciated and disfigured faces and broken-down constitutions, [illegible] the happiness of marriage or [illegible] enjoyment. In this horrid situation [illegible] suffer until death closes the scene, [illegible] tend to those who are suffering [illegible] horrible life-destroying malady [illegible] cured for and cured be [illegible] immediately to DR. GIBBON [illegible] private diseases [illegible] and who is certain to cure [illegible] without mercury or any [illegible] drugs [illegible] portant to those who are [illegible] are interested in the welfare [illegible] cure of the many [illegible] all cities, publishing their [illegible] in a few days, imposing upon the public by the names of eminent physicians [illegible] other places. Be therefore careful and make inquiry, or you may fall into the hands of charlatans.

Seminal Weakness.

Seminal Emissions, the consequence of a solitary vice or depraved sexual indulgence, practiced by the youth [illegible] unlimited extent, producing [illegible] the following train of evil symptoms, if not combatted by scientific medical measures, viz: low countenance, dark spots before the eyes, ringing in the head, ringing in the ears, noise like the rustling of leaves and rattling of [illegible], the loins, weakness of the limbs, confused vision, blunted intellect, loss of confidence, diffidence in approaching strangers, a dislike to form new acquaintances, disposition to shun society, loss of memory, hectic flushes, pimples and various eruptions about the face, furred tongue, fetid breath, coughs, consumption, night sweats, monomania, and frequent insanity. If relief is obtained, and apply immediately [illegible] or by letter, have a cure effected [illegible] method of treating this disease [illegible] a quick and radical [illegible] Hundred Dollars to [illegible] satisfactorily to him [illegible] plaint by either of the [illegible].

Married Men,

Or those who contemplate marriage, and labouring under any of these diseases, should not forget the sacred [illegible] nor delay to obtain [illegible]. DR. GIBBON is [illegible] patient a written [illegible] effect a radical and permanent cure free of charge.

Cured at Home

Persons at a distance [illegible] by addressing a [illegible] symptoms [illegible] and have medicine [illegible] damage [illegible] with full and [illegible] Dollars containing [illegible] office or [illegible] medicine will be [illegible] Union. All correspondence [illegible].

Caution to the Unfortunate.

Beware of the [illegible] tenders who [illegible] the unwary [illegible] names are [illegible] newspapers [illegible] trademen [illegible] trades. Some [illegible] carriers into [illegible] way to avoid [illegible] cost you nothing [illegible] for as advertising [illegible] ten are bogus [illegible] them until you know [illegible] Gibbon does not deceive [illegible] titles, certificates, pretend [illegible] Dr. Gibbon will satisfy [illegible] office of his ability to treat [illegible] to cure.

Address DR. J. F. GIBBON, [illegible] Kearney street, corner Commercial, San Francisco.

REMEMBER TO PUT BOX [illegible] ON THE LETTER. Consultations FREE.

Correspondents will [illegible] inform DR. GIBBON that they read his advertisement in the OREGONIAN.

$1,000 REWARD FOR ANY CASE Incurable [illegible]

X DR. LE RICHAU'S GOLDEN BALSAM

After ten years trial [illegible] has proven itself the only cure [illegible] of diseases pronounced by medical practitioners as incurable.

Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN BALSAM [illegible] cures Chancres first and second stage, Sores on the Legs or Body, Sore Ears, Eyes, Nose, Copper-colored Blotches, Syphilitic Catarrh, Diseased Scalp, and all primary forms of the disease known as Syphilis. Price $5 per bottle, or two for $9.

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EASTERN NEWS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Indian Massacre in Wyoming.

[illegible] LARAMIE, Feb 10.—A report came in [illegible] by courier from Fort Fetterman [illegible] ten miles from Mill [illegible], Robinson and [illegible] column were surrounded by about forty Indians. A private named [illegible] was [illegible] last seen of Robinson was that he was leaning forward in his saddle and the Indians were close upon him. Robinson [illegible] toward [illegible] about six miles north of where the attack was made. His [illegible] was [illegible] the distance to the train under the [illegible]. When he got within reach [illegible] Indians left him. Bastines left Mill [illegible] two [illegible] after Robinson left, there will [illegible] hour after the train had left. He saw [illegible] [illegible] the Indian [illegible] was [illegible] him. The train arrived here at 1 P M to-day. Some Indians made a raid on a ranch yesterday [illegible]. It is expected that a general war has been made on Laramie river.

[illegible] arrived at Fetterman yesterday [illegible] says he saw large parts of Indians at the crossing. [illegible] singing and [illegible].

CHEYENNE, Feb 11.—A telegram from Fort [illegible] states that the mail carrier from Red Cloud Agency with Indian [illegible] has just arrived bringing information that Frank Appleton, who was acting Indian Agent in the absence of Agent Saville, was shot on Monday night.

SIOUX CITY, Feb 11.—A number of mules have been stolen from the Government freighter Chas. Harrigate within three miles of the Agency. At White Clay Creek the Indians have driven off [illegible] and taken courage saying that will [illegible] own [illegible].

The corpse of Mr. Appleton has been left with Agency [illegible] for Fort Laramie. The doctor [illegible] have been telegraphed and the greatest excitement prevails [illegible] was sent [illegible] [illegible] last evening [illegible] turned on this. There [illegible] uprising.

[illegible] and Con[illegible] of the post [illegible] [illegible] the Indians [illegible] Quaker [illegible] contract [illegible] Acting Agent [illegible] to Sioux City, Iowa, [illegible] [illegible] Grant [illegible] [illegible] on the 6th inst. [illegible] five miles this side. [illegible] he was bound with freight for [illegible] The Indians say they will kill Agent Saville if he don't leave. At White Clay [illegible] [illegible] an Indian threatened [illegible] Howard was prevented from [illegible] by [illegible] Crow, one of their head soldiers.

A report from Sydney, Neb, says his section [illegible] six miles west of there were fired upon by Indians this morning. Many stock men who live in [illegible] but own large herds of cattle north of here have gone out to-day to bring them in to a place of safety.

Connecticut Republican State Convention.

HARTFORD, Feb 10.—Delegates to the Republican State Convention are assembling to-day. Indications point to the nomination of Henry B. Harrison of New Haven for Governor.

The Boston School Board Declines to Receive Women.

BOSTON, Feb 10.—The School Board this evening by a vote of [illegible] against to [illegible] refused to consider the recent vote against the admission of women to membership.

The Autopsy of the Siamese Twins.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb [illegible].—The committee [illegible] the bodies of the Siamese twins [illegible]. The bodies were not in a good state of preservation owing to decomposition having already set in when the partial embalmment was made at Mount Airy. It is thought, however, that autopsy will determine the main points of interest.

Testing Coins at the Philadelphia Mint.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11.—The annual assay commission [illegible] in the mint of Philadelphia, Francis [illegible] Carson, began to-day [illegible] this city. The pieces for assay amount in value [illegible] $4,000 in value and it will require a session at least three days. The total coinage of the [illegible] mints during the present fiscal year [illegible] Philadelphia, pieces [illegible]; value [illegible]; San Francisco pieces [illegible]; value [illegible]; Carson, pieces [illegible]; value [illegible]; [illegible] mints, pieces [illegible]; value [illegible].

Crusade Against Whisky.

NEW YORK, Feb 11.—The question of a crusade against whisky here has already been seriously discussed in leading temperance [illegible] societies. The decision as to whether it [illegible] made will depend upon the result of a Temperance Conference now being held at [illegible], which is attended by most of the temperance leaders of the State. In this city there [illegible] temperance organizations. The State [illegible] Alliance of New York has also had the matter under consideration.

The Pacific Mail Subsidy.

NEW YORK, Feb 11.—Vice President Hart[illegible] of the Pacific Mail S S Co says the company has no official [illegible] from Japan about the subsidy from that government and gives the opinion that reports on the subject, lately current, are made in the interest of speculators.

A New Transcontinental Railway to be Built.

NEW YORK, Feb 11.—At a meeting of the Cheap Transportation Association yesterday, information was given that the Peoples' Freight line would soon be built across the continent, which would be managed in the interest of the people. After work is fairly begun it would be completed in [illegible] years.

An International on Internationalism.

NEW YORK, Feb 11.—W. W. A. [illegible], Secretary of the International Association, says Internationals of the United States and Great Britain differ from those of the continent of Europe, in that while the latter are willing to return [illegible] ments by revolution the former believe that [illegible] [illegible] which were equitable to all and stoppage of the exactions of capital as [illegible] of workingmen could be established by means of the ballot.

Connecticut Republican State Convention.

HARTFORD, Feb 11.—The Republican State Convention met here to-day and nominated Henry B. Harrison for Governor and [illegible] for Lieutenant Governor.

Murder.

NORWICH, N Y, Feb 11.—John Young was shot and killed last night by Albert Homes, the husband of one of the occupants of a house which Young, with two companions, [illegible] an entrance.

Abolished for Cause.

ALBANY, Feb 11.—Owing to the [illegible] M. Tweed and Thomas C. Fields, the [illegible] to represent New York at the Centennial [illegible] to be held at Philadelphia, the Assembly abolished the whole commission.

Fire in Marietta, Ohio.

CINCINNATI, Feb [illegible].—A fire at Marietta [illegible] destroyed [illegible] Chair Company. The loss is estimated at [illegible].

Soup Houses for the Poor of New York.

NEW YORK, Feb 11.—Members of the [illegible] Exchange have opened a soup house for the poor [illegible] the [illegible].

WASHINGTON CITY.

Citizens of Montana Defend their Territory against Adverse Criticism.

WASHINGTON, Feb 11.—[illegible] of Montana in Washington [illegible] over the [illegible] of W. [illegible] tory [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] portion of [illegible] ter [illegible].

The Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad Bill.

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Congressional News.

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